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### Kuwait seeks OIC bureau meeting

IEDDAH, Jan 15: Well-informed sources in the Organisation of Islamic Conference (OIC) told the Arab Times today that Kuwait, which presides over the current OlC session, has proposed a meeting of the

Presidency Bureau. Kuwait said in its proposal that the situations in the Islamic world, the progress made in the implementation of the resolutions taken at the Fifth Islamic summit, and future plans and other developments would form the agenda.

#### Summit

The bureau consists of the chairman, HH the Amir, and the heads of the four main committees, namely the King of Morocco, and the presidents of Turkey, Senegal and Pakistan. The hureau includes the three vice presidents, namely, the heads of state of Maldives and Gabon and the PLO chairman.

The sources said that Kuwait has called for the meeting to be held on the occcasion of the first anniversary of the Fifth Islamic summit held in Kuwait during

January last year. The sources did not say when the meeting would be held, but added that it might take place after the UN Security Council's debate on the situation in the occupied Palestinian territories in which the OIC secretary-general and a number of Islamic foreign ministers will participate.

### Pirzada arrives in Kuwait

SECRETARY-General of the Organisation of Islamic Conference Sharifuddin Pirzada has

Speaking to reporters upon arrival, Pirzada said his visit aims tant issues affecting the Islamic nation and fulure course of action to be adopted by the OIC.

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90 injured as Israeli police beat up protesters

## Clashes near Al Aqsa on day of mourning

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM. Jan 15, (Agencies): Israeli police clashed with stone-throwing Palestinian protesters on Jerusalem's Temple Mount today, injuring at least 90, while the Army killed another Arab in Israeli occupied Gaza city.

The UN Security Council. meanwhile, called on Israel to rescind its deportation of Palestinian civilians and allow the

return of those already expelled. Tear gas wafted into Al Aqsa Mosque, one of Islam's holiest shrines, and demonstrators outside hurned Israeli and American flags and beat a plainclothes policeman unconscious after grabbing his pistol when he tried to fire warning shots, witnesses

Police in riot gear baton-char-ged about 300 Palestinian protesters who chanted Islamic slogans after Friday prayers in the Haram Al Sharif (noble sanctuary).

### Treated

A doctor at Mokassed Islamic Hospital said about 90 casualties were treated there, including two dozen men who had been clubbed in the rioting and dozens suffering the effects of tear gas. Several police men limped away from the clash wounded.

Police said they arrested eight

An officer fired live ammunition to disperse rioters stoning troops from the wall of the mosque, witnesses said.

Army account and said he was

killed in a clash with club-wield-

ing soldiers who tried to force

Mosque in central Gaza after

loudspeakers on the minaret

called for a holy war against the

Jews and urged people to demon-

Disperse

Troops stormed the Al Amari

him off the roof of his bouse.

Soldiers fired tear gas into the mosque compound and some demonstrators collapsed in the

Reporters were repeatedly driven away by the Army and some photographers said they were threatened with beating and having their film confiscated.

Elsewhere the Army said it shot and wounded two Palestinians in the West Bank village of Salfit, south of Nablus, after dozens of masked youtbs attacked a police station with stones, bottles and metal projec-

Six Gaza leaders — including the president of the Lawyers' Union, Faez Abu Rahme, the head of the Red Crescent Society, Dr Haidar Abdel Shafi, and the leader of the Doctors' Association, Dr Zacharia Al Azra — were summoned by the Israeli authorities and told they were barred from leaving the Gaza Strip until further notice,

Abu Rahme said. The measure was apparently intended to prevent them from coordinating with Palestinian leaders in the West Bank and meeting diplomats and journalists in Jerusalem.

Israel rounded up 10 leading Palestinians yesterday. Six journalists including editor Hanna Siniora, were among those rounded up.

Thirteen Palestinian refugee camps, including all eight in the Gaza Strip, were under curfew today as the Army deployed a massive presence in a bid to snuff



The Palestinian deportees (left to right) Jibril Mahmoud Rajub, Jamai Jabara, Bashir Ahmed Khayri and Hussam Hadar seen in the town of Rashaya in Lebanon's western Bekaa Valley. (Reuter

out unrest. United Nations relief workers and ambulances have also been barred from entering several Gaza camps, UN officials said.

The UN Security Council has again called on Israel not to deport Palesunian civilians, but the United States withheld support it gave for a similar appeal 10 days ago.

The council agreed to meet again today - this time to consider a complaint by Lebanon southern part of that country.

In a 14-0 vote, the United States abstained yesterday on the council's resolution calling on Israel to permit the return of four Palestinians it expelled to Lebanon after accusing them of inciting violence in the West Bank and Gaza.

ln Chtaura, Lehanon, four Palestinians, staging a sit-in at a Red Cross office in southeast Lebanon to protest their deportation from Israeli-occupied territory, vowed today to return to their homes.

They said they would make the office in the Syrian-controlled Bekaa Valley their base until their plight was solved.
"We insist on going back to

Palestine at any cost," they said, adding: "We will continue to escalate our resistance to return to our land."

Jibril Mahmoud Rajub, 34, sam Hadar, 26, and Jamal Jabara. 28, spent a cold and damp night in tents pitched on muddy wasteland opposite the ICRC office in the village of Ksara — home for some 500 Christians.

In Tunis, the head of the Arah League said today that next week's emergency meeting of League foreign ministers would concentrate on Israel's 20-year occupation of Arab territories.

the name on her forged Japanese

those who died and their

relatives, even if it is very small

compensation for their loss," she

A top South Korean intelligence official said the

North Korean agent boarded the

doomed plane in Baghdad with a

"I also want to help appease

passport

### Tanker war hots up as Iran raids three ships

As the tanker war hotted up,

Tehran's top war spokesman said Iranian ground forces along

the front line with Iraq were on

full alert awaiting the order to start a new offensive.

tion for restoring our rights." Tehran Radio quoted

Parliamentary Speaker Ali Akbar Hashemi Rafsanjani as

telling a Friday prayers gather-

A military spokesman in Baghdad said the first air attack

on a "large naval target" took

place yesterday evening and the

second at early this morning, according to the official Iraqi

The raids were designed "to

stop the Iranians from exploiting

their oil revenues," the agency

Iran yesterday attacked an

empty Dutch tanker in retalia-

unn for a deadly Iraqi raid on another tanker in Iranian

That strike was the first by

Iran on shipping in the Gulf since

Christmas Day, when Iranian

speedhoats attacked the Saudi

An Iranian frigate and a speed-

boat ambushed the 20,466-ton

Petrohulk Pioneer before dawn

yesterday; cascading rocket-

propelled grenades and eannon

and machine gunfire on the help-less vessel off the UAE, shipping

Bullets and shells slammed

into the superstructure and star-

hoard crew quarters. Two Filipino crewmen cut their legs

during a frantic dash for cover, shipping officials said.

shells at the bull of the tanker and

opened a hole below the

waterline. The captain reported

two holes in his bunker tanks and

severe damage to the engine

Pioneer, a chemical tanker that

was apparently bound for

Bahrain in ballast, refused an

offer of aid from a nearhy tug and

nursed his ship to anchorage at

Dubai. There was no apparent

involvement of US naval forces.

Britain is considering reducing its minesweeper force in the Gulf

(Continued on Page 5)

The captain of the Petrobulk

The frigate fired 4-1/2-inch

tanker Nejmat el Petrol.

officials said.

panel.

quoted the spokesman saying.

ing in Tehran.

"We are now in the best posi-

DUBAI, Jan 15, (Reuter): Iran-ian gunboats attacked a Liberian tanker in the southern Gulf today just hours after amhushing a Norwegian tanker at the entrance to the waterway, shipping so urces said.

They said a US warship contacted the 36,750-tonne Liberian-flag Atlantic Charisma after it sent out an emergency call that it had been hit 15 miles off the UAE port of Jebel Ali.

The attack was the third by Iran in two days, signalling a fullscale resumption of the Gulf tan-

It followed two unconfirmed reports hy Iraq that its planes had hit two Iranian ships within

The shipping sources said the captain of the Atlantic Charisma had declined an offer of aid by the US warship but his vessel was losing power. 'We don't know if he is on fire

or needs a tug," one source said. It was not known if there were

The ship was hit close to the UAE coast, at 1530 GMT, sour-.

#### Raked

Seven hours earlier, Iranian gunboats raked the 13,524-tonne Norwegian liquid petroleum carrier Igloo Espoo with machinegun and rocket fire as it sailed fully loaded out of the Gulf for South Korea from the Saudi Arabian port of Jubail.

Two crewmen were slightly injured in that attack.

Reporters in helicopters saw the Igloo in the Ierritorial waters of Oman and said the fire appeared to have been extingui-

An Omani patrol boat raced to the scene and took off the two injured men for treatment in the were taken back on board the gas carrier by the patrol boat later after they were attended.

Sailors wearing breathing apparatus clambered over the ship apparently checking for possible gas leaks caused by the Iranian machine-gun fire.

Olav Olufsen, a director of the Havtor Company in Norway, said "none of the tanks were hit. But there was a fire in the deck bouses and at the engine."

### WORLD THIS MORNING

### **Macbride dies**

DUBLIN. (Rcuter): Nobel peace prize winner Sean Machride has died at his Duhlin home aged 83. his family announced yesterday. Machride won the peace prize in 1974 for his human rights work and had the rare distinction of also being awarded the Soviet equivalent, the Lenin

### **US rejects**

GENEVA, (Reuter): The United States rejected a new Soviet arms proposal yesterday, saying it was aimed at crippling the American "Star Wars anti-missile defence project. (See Page 2)

### Top award

BEIJING. (AP): A controversial movie. "A Small Town called Hihiscus." about a small town's sufferings during the cultural revolution won China's top film award yesterday after months of behind-the-scenes wrangling.

### India win

MADRAS, India, Jan 15, (Reuter): India beat West Indies by 255 runs on the fourth day of the fourth and final cricket test today to level the series 1-1.

Scores: India 382 and 217 for eight declared. West Indies 184

### French envoy in Manila escapes attempt on life

MANILA, Jan 15, (Reuter): A gunman shot at the French ambassador to the Philippines yesterday in an apparenally politically-motivated attack, the first on a foreign diplomat in Manila.

The attack was aimed at Ambassador Jacques le Blanc but its motivation mystery, the sources said.

Le Blanc was not hurt in the attack when hullet-proof rear windows on his grey Renault R25 car deflected a single shot fired at point blank range hy a gunman who had apparently been waiting for several hours. Sources believe the gun used was a .45 calibre pistol

A French Embassy source said the attack appeared to be part of continued attempts to destabilise the Philippines.

Other Western embassies said privately they could not rule out the possibility that it was staged by an international terrorist

### Fate depends on number of hearts

### Siamese twins alive and kicking

over the weekend on the Siamese twins born in Kuwait last week to help them determine whether the two girls are separable.
The twins, who weighed 6.2 kg

partner. They got off at the plane's next stop in Abu Dhahi. The aircraft vanished a few hours leter over the Andaman Sea near Burma. No bodies have been recovered. The pair, posing as father and daughter and travelling on false stant observation. Japanese passports, were arres-

ted two days later in Bahrain.

They tried to evade interrogation by swallowing cyanide cap-sules contained in cigarettes. The man, said to be in his 70s, died hut the woman survived and was extradited to South Korea on South Korean intelligence,

officials say she confessed after! (Continued on Page 2)

### By Jadranka Porter DOCTORS at Kuwait's Ihn Sina hospital were conducting tests

at hirth, are alive and kicking, their pulse is normal and they are fed intravenously although they can take liquids through their mouths. However, because one had problems breathing nor-mally both are artificially ventilated. The twins are under con-

### Test

According to the head of surgery department, M.A. Issa. their fate depends much on whether the twins have two hearts, something the X-ray and angiocardiography — a heart examination by injecting dyed fluid into vessels — did not show

Today the girls, who are joined **UN resolution 242** 

ultrasonography, a barmless test which relies on sound waves to produce a detailed picture of the body tissue. If the test, to be conducted at the Chest Diseases Hospital, shows that the two babies have one heart then the doctors will opt for an operation in which the life of one bahy will

Each girl has two legs, two arms and two lungs as well as an oesophagus and trachea which means that they can eat and breath separately. But doctors have not yet been

be sacrificed so that the other can

able to establish whether the twins share one liver. This will be known after ultrasonography has been conducted.

The twins, born to an Egypdan couple who already have got four children, stand the best chance of survival if it is found that each has a liver and a heart,

If the twins have two hearts (Continued on Page 5)

### 1.92m Japanese

reach adulthood

#### TOKYO, Jan 15, (AP): About 1.9 million Japanese youth who became 20 years old during the past 12 months observed their coming of age in Adult Day ceremonies across the country

Many of the young people mark the traditional national holiday by dressing up and attending ceremonies at public offices throughout the country, with some women donning colourfully kimonos.

According to a report from the government's management and coordination agency, 980,000 men and 940,000 women born between Jan 16, 1967, and Jan 15, 1968, became adults after marking their 20th birthday.

The report, released yesterday, said it is the first time in 16 years that the number of new adults exceeded 1.9 million. A total 1.93 million turned 20 in 1972.

The 1.92 million youths represent about 1.57 per cent of Japan's total population estimated at 122.26 million, said the agency report.

### Dollar up

NEW YORK, Jan 15. (Agencies): A 25 per cent drop in the monthly US trade deficit sent stocks, bonds and the dollar's value sharply higher in frenetie financial markets this morning.

ing waves since the October stock market crash. Gold bullion

### Central Bank favours merger

By Mohammad Al Barges

THE Central Bank has no objection to the merger of any two local banks provided this was agreed to by the general body meetings of the concerned banks, the Governor of the Central Bank, Sheikh Salem Abdul Aziz Al Sabah, said.

He explained that the Central Bank will approve such a move selves, he added.

He told the Arah Times that none of the local commercial banks had presented their final accounts for 1987. He attributed

Bank was putting pressure on banks and companies not to distribute bigger profits to shareholders. He said the Central

(Continued on Page 12)

### N. Korean woman admits destroying Seoul plane

South Korean intelligence officials said.

One of the goals of the Nov 29 hombing was to discourage foreign countries from taking part in the Olympic Games in Seoul in Sept, they said.

harbarie terrorist act.





horrible crime I have commit-

known as "Mayumi Hachiya,

that calls for recognition of Israel's right to exist behind

that basis. Arafat said in an

interview at his heavily guarded

military headquarters in Bagh-

dad's southern suburb of

under UN auspices, that means

the full legality of all UN resolu-

tions, including 242 and 338"

would be recognised, the PLO

He said that these resolutions

"As this conference would be

"We would accept 242" on

secure borders.

Jadiriya.

leader said.



Long-haired and attractive, Kim Hyon-Hui told today's

ted." said the woman previously

Arafat sets conditions for accepting

must include those passed by the

UN General Assembly that have

supported Palesunians' right to

an independent homeland and those calling for an Israeli with-

Palesunian state, he would allow

on Palesunian territory. The United States has rejected direct negotiations with the PLO But Arafat, clearly linking the Palestinian "uprising" in the Israeli-held West Bank and Gaza with efforts to get an international peace conference off the ground, stressed that the unrest demonstrated the Palestinian will for an end to the occupation.

### Negotiate

chairman made his offer.

Other Israeli government officials also reiterated that Israel will not negotiate with the

PLO. The PLO proposal "is yet another demonstration of the double talk of Mr Arafat," Foreign Ministry spokesman Ehud Gol said. "We never took these statements seriously in the past, and we don't take them seriously now.

Added Avi Pazner, an aide to Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir: There is nothing new in what Arafat proposes. He knows perfectly well that Israel is not ready to negotiate with him."

The announcement by the Commerce Department that the November deficit fell to \$13.2 billion from \$17.6 billion in October electrified traders and incited some of the biggest huy-

prices were higher.

#### The riots came on a day of mourning declared by Palestinian nationalist organisations to honour 37 Arabs killed by Israeli arrived in Kuwait yesterday. forces since an anti-Israeli uprising crupted on Dec occupied West Bank and Gaza The latest Gaza death took the unofficial toll to 38. An Army spokeswoman said Ibrahim Mahmoud Abu Nahel, 31, was shot dead in Gaza's Sheikh Radwan district when be stabbed a soldier in the leg after nternational barring a doorway to troops Kuwait-Gulf chasing a youth who threw Editorials stones at an Army patrol. Events The man's family disputed the Features 10.11 Stocks

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only after the general bodies had agreed to a merger. He also said that he personally supported mergers because they reduce administrative and operational costs. But a decision to merge was the right of the banks them-Final

the delay to the fact that the banks and companies had been reviewing and auditing their figures, and expected accounts to be ready by the end of the month. He denied that the Central

SEOUL, Jan 15. (Reuter): South Korea threatened "all possible forms of retaliation" against the North after a young woman confessed on national television today she was a communist agent

and had blown up an airliner with 115 people on board. Kim Hyon-Hui, 26, helped plant the bomh on a Seoul-bound Korean Air Lines jet on the direct orders of Kim Jong-Il, son and heir apparent of North Korean leader Kim Il-Sung.

The Seoul government placed its 600,000-strong armed forces on full alert and Information Minister Lee Woong-Hee said in a statement North Korea "can never escape punishment, corresponding retaliatory measures, for this

BAGHDAD, Jan 15, (AP): PLO

leader Yasser Arafat warned yes-

terday that Palestinian protests

in Israeli-held territory would go

on, hut said he would accept

United Nations resolution 242 if

Israel and the United States

dropped opposition to PLO

attendance at a Mideast peace

But he stressed that the inter-

national conference must be

based on all United Nations

resolutions, including those call-

ing for Pulestinian self-determin-

ation as well as resolution 242

conference.



had called an emergency meeting of top military commanders to discuss "all possible forms of retaliation against the enemy." televised news conference she

deserved "to die a hundred times "But, before I die, I decided to reveal the whole truth of the incident to help make up for the

drawal from Arah territory seized in the 1967 Arab-Israeli He said that to reassure israel about its security alongside any

in Middle East peace efforts.

UN troops to patrol the border

An Israeli Foreign Ministry spokesman accused Arafat of "double talk" after the PLO

BRIEF

Gang of Four

NEWS IN

BEIJING, Jan 15, (UPI): China 🥻

said today that Mao Tse-Tung's

widow Jiang Qing and the rest of the infamous "Gang of Four remain in prison for crimes com-

mitted during the 1960 cultural revolution, calling reports some

have been released "ground

It was the first response in the

official press to recent reports that Jiang. 74, serving a life sen.

tence for orchestrating the mur-der and persecution of thousands

during the 1960s and 1970s, had been released due to ill health to

serve her time at a daughter's

Medicine shortage

BEIJING, Jan 15, (AP). The lives

of some patients in Shanghai

hospitals are at risk from a lack

of such basic medicines as insulin and penicillin, the official China

daily reported today.

The daily, quoting a report

from a Shanghai newspaper, said about 160 medicines have fallen far short of demand, mainly as a result of a lack of raw materials

and low prices that discourage with

BANGKOK, Jan 15, (AP): The United States today sent a team

into Vietnam to discuss ways to

help the one-time enemy with its

humanitarian problems, includ-

ing invalids from the war with the

Petzing said the four-member

US embassy spokesman Ross

team, the third such delegation to 💣

Veitnam, would meet with

"counterparts in Hanoi to con-

tinue discussions regarding Viet-

VILA, Jan 15, (AP). At least 54

2,000 people were left homeless

and many fled to caves for shelter after a hurricane lashed this

south Pacific island nation, les

officials said today.

troyed in the north and they're and living in caves," said James 45.

Moni, programme producer at rank radio Vanuatu.

JAKARTA, Jan 15, (AP): A 3100

light Cessna aircraft carrying five people crashed in the jangle of east Kalimantan, killing one pas

The pilot, Terry Wohlgemuth,

Indonesian passenger were being treated for light injuries, an

senger, an Indonesian official

an American, and another

official of the search and rescue

namese humanitarian con-

War-disabled team:

production\_\_\_

United States.

Hurricane

Plane crash

### Genscher praises **Assad**

DAMASCUS, Jan 15, (AP): West German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher began a visit to Syria today, praising President Hafez Assad and saying he looks "forward with great interest" to his talks in Damas-

Genscher is the highest ranking Bonn official to visit Damascus since the European Economic Community imposed sanctions against Syria after it was implicated in 1986 plot to blow up an Israeli airliner in London. Syria denied the charges.

Government sources in Bonn indicated yesterday that West Germany, which hold the current presidency of the EEC would like the sanctions against Syria lifted.

"I am happy to visit Syria again and to have the chance to continue dialogue with Syrian officials, and follow up important issues connected with international policy." Genscher said in a statement at Damascus air-

"There is a deep convergence of points of view between our two countries," he said.

Genscher was greeted on arrival hy his Syrian counterpart, Farouk Al Sharaa.

During his two-day stay, Gen-scher was expected to meet with Assad and other Syrian officials.

In his arrival statement, Genscher said: "We appreciate the responsible and important role played hy President Assad and Syria in this region. Therefore, it is important for us at this stage precisely to exchange views and dialogue hased on responsibility hy the two sides."

He said: "I will discuss hilateral relations and I am looking forward and with great interest to my talks in Syria."

The West German Foreign Ministry said yesterday that Genscher's talks would also touch on the 7-year-old war bet-ween Iran and Iraq, the situation in Lebanon and chances for an international Middle East peace

from early setbacks defeated a

coalition of conservative oppon-

ents last night in hitterly contes-

ted Michigan caucuses that set

the stage for selection of the first

Republican presidential nomin-

more than two dozen walkouts

hy supporters of former telev-

ision evangelist Pat Robertson

and Congressmen Jack Kemp.

The supporters manoeuvred to

challenge the vice president's vic-

The meetings were marked by

ating delegates.

DETROIT, Jan 15, (AP): tory.

George Bush, storming back With 96 per cent of the

### Cutting intercontinental nuclear arms by half and curbing space weapons

### Soviets make new offer on limiting missiles

GENEVA, Jan 15, (Reuter): The Soviet Union made new offers on cutting superpower intercontinental nuclear arms by half and curbing space weapons at a special negotiating session with the United States today.

Soviet arms delegation leader Alexei Ohukhov said the new proposals covered ways of implementing an agreement in principle to cut intercontinentalrange weapons by half, to 6,000 warheads on each side, and limit

The meeting at the Soviet

diplomatic mission lasted an hour and 40 minutes. It included 20-strong teams on each side. The superpowers opened their ninth round of arms talks yester-

President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev told negouators to complete a treaty to halve strategic, or intercontinental, nuclear arms as soon as possible — preferably in time for signing at a summer summit in

American arms negotiator Max Kampelman entered the session with Henry Cooper, head of the US team on long-range arms, and Read Hanmer, head of the team discussing

space and defence weapons.

US arms delegation spokesman TerryShroeder said the Soviets presented a single document which covered both

long-range and space weapons.
"The emphasis was on defence
and space arms," he added, but declined to give details. "We will study it carefully."

Iranian

rally to

ruling

factions

Khomeini's

NICOSIA, Jan 15, (Reuter): Iranian leaders have rallied to a

ruling by supreme leader

Ayatollah Khomeini on state

powers which opens the way for

reformist legislation on con-

The public display of unity came after Khomeini sided with reform-minded groups in the leadership and declared last week the Islamic government had absolute powers and could nullify Islamic contracts if they

were harmful to state interests.

The ruling, Khomeini's stron-

gest pronouncement on the

crucial issue of state authority,

flew in the face of the traditional-

ist conservative wing in the Iran-ian leadership which seeks to

limit the government's role in the

But within a week members of

the Guardian Council, a 12-man

body of clergymen and lawyers

with veto power over parliament

and a hastion of traditionalist

views - fell into line and joined

other officials in praising

President Ali Khamenei,

whose interpretation of the role

of the state was rejected by

Khomeini's landmark verdict.

economy.

troversial economic issues.

Shroeder said the presentation hy Ohukhov was followed by a

good deal of discussion between the two delegations. Kampelman left for Washington shortly after the meeting concluded.

Soviet negotiators requested the special session late last night and Kampelman had to delay his plans to leave for Washington this morning.

Obukhov and Kampelman met for lunch when the talks opened yesterday hut the senior Soviet negotiator told reporters he made no mention of the planned new offer.

The separate teams on long-

range arms and space weapons will meet today to discuss the Soviet proposals further. Lem Masterkov heads the Soviet team on long-range weapons and Yuri Kuznetsov leads the team on

space arms. The superpowers have argued bitterly over defence and space weapons since resuming their arms control effort in March 1985, and a summit in Iceland in October 1986 broke down with angry exchanges on the issue.

The dispute centres on the Strategic Defence Initiative

(SDI), or "Star Wars" project, launched by Reagan in March 1983. SDI has been studying land and space-based anti-missile defence systems meant to shoot down attacking rockets.

The Kremlin has fiercely opposed the project, saying it would upset the nuclear balance between the superpowers and herald an arms race in space.

Soviet negotiators insisted at the outset of the talks that the "Star Wars" project be abandoned, and still want strict limits on research and development.

### Argentine rebel official flees as troops move in

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Jan 15. (AP): The leader of a rebellion at a military school escaped from house arrest under the cover of night, authorities said today.

Lt Aldo Rico, leader of the April revolt at Campo de Mayo Army hase in Buenos Aires, apparently fled with a group of rebel sympathisers, the government news agency Telam repor-

Two Army officials found no sign of Rico when they looked for him where he and ahout 40 armed sympathisers were holed up, Los Fresnos Country Cluh. Telam said.

A communique reportedly sig-ned overnight by Rico had warned he would not be taken into custody "until a minimum of justice is guaranteed," saying his case jeopardises "the stahility of the system, internal peace and national defence."

Arrest

Salvador Lentini, owner of the country club where Rico had been held under house arrest since Dec 30 pending trial, was quoted hy Telam as syaing he had no idea where Rico had

There was an unconfirmed report Rico had been injured while abandoning his home. where about 20 shots were heard.

Loyalist troops, tanks and armoured vehicles had arrived early today at an Army base near

With 96 per cent of the county

caucuses counted. Bush suppor-

ters had clinched a majority of

the 1,805 delegate seats to the Jan

29 to 30 state convention. They

claimed 57 per cent of the slots

with Robertson winning 23 per

Impossible

The state meeting will choose Michigan's 77 delegates to the

Republican national convention

cent and Kemp 17 per cent.

in New Orleans.

the country club in northwestern

Buenos Aires.
Army Chief of Staff Jose D.
Caridi ordered the show of force,
which includes 14 tanks and 16 vehicles, to maintain discipline in the armed forces and help bring Rico to justice to face charges in connection with the April revolt even if it led to "hlood and fire."

Military sources told the rgentine news agency. Diarios Noticias, that Caridi fired three garrison commanders who declined to take part in the military action against Rico and his sympathisers.

Charges Military judge Hugo Bel-tramino was schedu 8 a.m. (1100 GMT) with an order for Rico's return to jail to face charges of rebellion and disobedience in connection with his April 19-21 takeover of a military school at Campo de Mayo.

He faces a prison term of five years to 25 years if convicted. Military sources say at least 20 sympathisers, most armed with handguns and rifles, were at the country club along with Rico, his wife and two children. Most were believed members of the armed forces who took part with Rico in the April revolt, which ended peacefully with Rico ssurrender.

Rico had been held for eight months in military confinement at Campo de Mayo after his

The Michigan GOP's system

made it impossible to use the

county results to determine pre-

cisely how Michigan's 77

delegates would be distributed.

The Associated Press calculated

that if the county results are

mirrored at the state convention,

Bush could win between 45 and

delegates, depending on what

rules are adopted. Robertson

could get between 18 and 21

delegates, while Kemp could

receive as many as 11 or as few as

national convention

Khomeini as too narrow, declared he accepted Khomeini's views as "inviolable principles of **Bush wins in Michigan** Analysts say this underlines the unique role of Khomeini, 85, and his unrivalled authority

> However traditionalist views have a wide following among bazaar merchants and senior Muslim clergymen who are unlikely to give up their pro-private sector policies easily.

which makes open, legal opposi-

### Norway to expel 3 more Iranians

OSLO, Jan 15, (Reuter): Norway has decided to expel the remain-ing three of 11 Iranian lefusts jailed last month for storming their country's Oslo emhassy. police said today.

The three, who had requested asylum in Norway, will he expelled to France, where they already hold resident visas, a policespokesman told Reuters. The other eight were expelled earlier this month to Sweden and

West Germany. "We do not know exactly

when the Iranians are to be expelled as we need a guarantee from France that they (the authorities) will accept them," police spokesman Villars Nilsen said.

#### Jackson, Harris and U2 win 4 Grammy nominations each What I'm Looking For"). NEW YORK, Jan 15, (UPI): Quincy Jones. Springsteen also picked up a American singers Michael Jack-

son and Emmylou Harris and the Irish rock band U2 headed the list of pop nominees for the 30th annual Grammy awards announced yesterday.

Jackson, Harris and U2 all had

four nominations. Bruce Spring-steen, Whitney Houston, Los Lobos, Prince, Wynton Marsalis, Itzhak Perlman and eight other artistes were nominated in

three categories.

U2 could be the big winner, with nominations for Alhum of the Year ("The Joshua Tree"), Record of the Year and Song of the Year ("I Still Haven't Found

MADRID, Jan 15. (Reuter) The

United States has agreed to dis-

mantle its airbase at Torrejon

near Madrid, Spanish Foreign Minister Francisco Fernandez

Fernandez Ordonez said

Washington would remove all 72

F-16 fighter-bombers from the

Torrejon hase no more than

three years after signature of a

A Foreign Ministry spokes-

man said the new pact was likely

Friday's announcement was

the culmination of 18 months of

often tense talks between Spain

and the United States on

Madrid's demand for the base's

removal.

ted Spain's terms for troop cuts,"

Fernandez Ordonez told a news

conference after the weekly

cabainet meeting.
He said this meant US troops

would leave Torrejon altogether

and would be cut by half

throughout Spain.
The United States retains air-

bases at Saragossa in northeas-

tern Spain and Moron in the

south as well as a major naval

5-year-old girl killed

SEOUL, Jan 15. (Reuter): A

South Korean man surrendered

to police today and confessed to

kidnapping and killing a five-year-old girl to finance his

marriage, a police spokesman

Ham Hyo-Sik, 26, admitted abducting Won Hye-Jun six

weeks ago and receiving a ran-som equivalent to \$6,300 from

Ham, a former truck driver,

told police he used half the sum to

get married two days after he killed the child.

her parents, he said.

"The United States has accep-

new bilateral defence pact.

to be signed by May.

Ordonez told reporters today.

**US to dismantle** 

airbase near Madrid

Gibraltar.

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Franco.

The most nominations in the classical categories went to Kathleen Battle with a total of five nominations, including Best Classical Vocal performance and four nominations in the opera category.

Best male

Both Jackson and Springsteen were nominated for Best Male Pop Vocal performance. Jackson's "BAD" alhum was nominated for Alhum of the Year and the Title Track was nominated for Best Male Rhythm and Blues Vocal performance, Jackson shared a nomination for

Producer of the Year with

It had been allowed to station

up to 12,500 troops in Spain under a 34-year-old defence

Cleared

breakthrough agreement came

at 8.30 am (0730 GMT) today

and cleared the way for negotia-

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been loyal ... we wanted a stable

and mature relationship with the

Deadlock on its demands for

significant cuts in US troops prompted Spain's Socialist

government to say last year it

would not automatically extend

the pact first signed in 1953 under

the late dictator Francisco

Felipe Gonzalez had pledged to win significant cuts in US troops

when he campaigned in a

national referendum in 1986 to

uphold Spain's membership of

the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (Nato). Spain

WASHINGTON, Jan 15,

(Reuter): US researchers say

they have found a faster and

more sensitive laboratory test to

detect the AIDS virus in humans.

the test detects the AIDS virus

even when it is in a latent stage

inside blood cells, and they said it

takes three days to complete the

test, compared with up to four

weeks required to detect the virus

by attempting to culture it in the

The researchers, from the US

centres for disease control in Atlanta and Cetus Corp. of Emeryville, California, publi-shed their findings in Science

Copying
The test works hy zeroing in on
the AIDS virus's nucleic acid, or

genetic fingerprint, and copying or "amplifying" it for easy detec-

In its latent form, "finding the

AIDS virus is like looking for a

needle in a haystack. But this

procedure can home in on the

virus's nucleic acid and make a

million copies, creating a hays-

tack of needles," John Sninsky,

head of the Cetus diagnostic

programme, said in a telephone

laboratory.

Magazine today.

interview.

cials said.

The scientists said yesterday

joined the alliance in 1982.

**Faster test** 

AIDS found

to detect

Socialist Prime Minister

United States," he said.

"The attitude of Spain has-

Fernandez Ordonez said the

nomination for Best Rock Vocal performance for his work on the Tunnel Of Love" alhum, and Best Rock Instrumental performance for "Paradise hy the C." The winners will be announ-

ced at the Grammy Award ceremonies telecast live from Radio City Music Hall on March 2. hosted by comedian Bill Crystal for the second straight year.

The National Association of Recording Arts and Sciences chose the nominees for recordings in 71 categories released during the year running from Oct 1, to Sept 30, 1987.

### Seoul boy in coma

SEOUL. Jan 15, (Reuter): Korean state prosecutors are investigating allegations that a 16-year-old boy fell into a coma after being tortured in police detention, prosecution sources

said today. In Seoul, more than 1,000 students hurling firebombs and rocks fought pitched battles with teargas-firing riot police on a university campus, yesterday marking the first anniversary of

a high school girl, the sources said. He failed to regain cons-

### Alleged

The sources said prosecutors were questioning several policemen, including the one alleged to have taken part in the beating. The other officer implicated was still being sought.

South Korean newspapers said Myong lay hrain-dead in a Suwon Hospital, but there was no immediate confirmation.

South Korean President-elect Roh Tae-Woo had earlier pledged to reopen a probe into the police cover-up of Park's death after a government doctor who carried out the post mortem, said not all the facts had been revealed.

### One in four adults in US overweight

ATLANTA, Jan 15, (UPI): Nearly one of every four adults in the United States is overweight, federal health officials said, and fat women outnumber fat men hy a slight margin. The national Centres for Disease

Control said yesterday that face-to-face health interviews found 23.5 per cent of American men and 24.2 per cent of women are over-

weight.
The CDC report on obese adults coincided with a 1986 study of obesity conducted by telephone in 25 states and the district of Columbia. That study showed obesity ranged from a high of 24 per cent in West Virginia to a low of 14 per cent in Hawaii and Utah. Divided

body mass index," or weight

divided by height. It said this

formula was used because it

had a high correlation with

body weight and virtually no

the highest percentage of

overweight men - 24 per cent

and Hawaii the lowest -

For women, the highest

prevalence, 26 per cent, was

observed in West Virginia and

the District of Columbia and

the lowest, 12 per cent, in

Arizona and Utah.

correlation with height.

14 per cent.

Among the 25 states in the survey, North Dakota had

Cetus hopes at some point to market the test in a joint venture with Eastman Kodak, Cetus off-The definition of overweight used in the study was based on what the CDC called "the

 Meanwhile, health ministers from about 130 countries are expected to attend a meeting in London later this month to discuss ways of fighting the killer discase AIDS, a World Health Organisation (WHO) spokesman said today.

#### Sergeant arrested WASHINGTON, Jan 15, (Reu-

ter): A US Army sergeant, Daniel Richardson, at an important military testing base has been arrested for allegedly attempting to sell national defence secrets to the Soviet Union, the Federal Bureau of Investigation announ-

### after police torture

student activist Park Chong-Chol's death under police torture.
The 16-year-old, Myong No-Yol, collapsed a week ago after. being battered with clubs by two olicemen in Suwon, just south of Seoul, while being questioned on suspicion of raping and killing

ciousness, and was surviving on a life support system.

### **Mainutrition**

agency said.

DHAKA, Jan 15. (Reuter): Malnutrition and vitamin Adelicien "Mice cies have already blinded more within than one million Bangladeshis 3:10 and another million are close to that losing their eyesight, doctors said when

yesterday.
Among the victims are nearly ak30,000 children suffering from an illam eye disease mainly caused by and malnutrition, a conference of the mand opthalmological society was and

### Hepatitis test

CHICAGO, Jan 15, (UPI): All dimensions of those who test positive should be immunised shortly after birth, agovernment scientists say.

government scientists say.

Such a programme could prevent more than 2,500 new are infections in the United States and save \$105 million a year. and save \$105 million a year. according to a report in today's according to a report in roday journal of the American Medical Association.

### Bork guits.

WASHINGTON, Jan 15, (Renter): Angry over a campaign that ter): Angry over a campaign that sank his US Supreme Court sing nomination. Robert Bork has such squit as a federal judge to fight for sack his conservative judicial philosophy.

#### Collision THOMPSONTOWN, Penn-

sylvania, Jan 15, (AP): A coal train that apparently ran a stop signal slammed head on into another freight train yesterday. killing four of the six crewmer aboard the trains, officials said

### N. Korean woman . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

eight days of interrogation. Diplomats speculated Seoul did not make the confession public until now because it did not wish to discourage commun-

invitations to take part in the Olympics. Moscow and its main East European allies have now confirmed they will take part, clearing the way for the North Korean spy's public confession.

ist countries from accepting

China, which sent troops to be ght alongside North Koreans light alongside North Koreans during the Korean War, also announced this week it would participate in the Games.

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Pakistan

raps India

over Soviet

submarine

ISLAMABAD, Jan 15, (Reuter): Pakistan has dennunced the

acquisitinn of a Soviet nuclear-

powered submarine by its giant

rival India and accused Moscow

of irresponsibility and disregard-

in Islamabad charged that India

was recklessly expandiog its

military power in a way that could only make other states in the region feel insecure.

submarines highlights its

headlong militarisation manifest

already in its amassing of mis-

siles, aircraft, artillery, tanks and

warships." the Pakistani spokes-

that the two countries, which

have fought three wars since

independence in 1947, had cla-

He also denied Indian reports

man said.

"India's acquisition of nuclear

A foreign ministry spokesman

ing peace in the region.



Armed presidential guards patrol the area where President Aquino attended a campaign raily. (Reuter wirephoto)

**Extremists harming democracy** 

### Aquino denounces violence

MANILA, Jan 15, (AP): President Corazoo Aquioo today denounced the mouoting violence io campaigns for next week's local elections, saying it was part of desperate efforts by lefust and right-wing Philippine extremists to derail ber country's return to democracy.

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Mrs Aquino issued the statement after a visit to a candidate wounded in a series of violent iocidents that left at least seven people, two of them candidates, dead and 11 others injured throughout the couotry in the last 72 hours.

Death toll

The military, which depends on delayed reports from rural areas, says 67 people, including 34 candidates, have been killed since the campaign for Monday's ballotiog began on Dec 1. Local mass media place the death toll at more thao 80.

Sikhs kill:

family of

"I must strongly deplore the

cootiouing violence in the current campaign for the Jan 18 electioos,"Mrs Aquino said. These acts of violence prove that the enemies of democracy

too terrorism as a last desperate She blamed the killings on the "extreme left and the extreme right" who are "out to plunge our country into anarchy and derail the elections" in the same maoner that they tried to disrupt

have restorted to naked and wan-

in February 1987 and last May's coogressional elections. In the latest electioo-related incidents, unideotified gunmen killed three people and wounded seven others, including three candidates, in separate incideots

ratification of a new coostitution

Thursday, police said. Among the candidates injured was Walfrido Ferrer, administration nominee for mayor of the Manila suburb of Paranaque, who suffered a gunshot wound in the abdomen when three gunmen opened fire oo a stage during a campaign rally last night.

A female bystander was killed and seven other people, includ-ing two candidates for the town council, were injured, police said. Ferrer is the younger brother of the late local government secretary Jaime Ferrer who was assassinated last August.

Earlier, Foreign Secretary Raul Maoglapus said on Thursday the Philippioes would never achieve stability nr democracy until the outlawed Communist Party was made legal.

Unless we undertake this integration, we can never eojoy fully fledged democracy," he told a meeting of diplomats.

But Maoglapus said President Aquino did not feel it was the proper time politically to take up the issue and others in govern-

suburb to pay their last respects

to the man who had been the

chief architect of Taiwan's

Officials wearing black arm-

bands queued in front of the hos-

pital. Ordinary citizens and

retired soldiers, carrying

Chiang's portraits, wept and

Democracy

for us to move into high gear to a

more advanced stage of con-

stitutional democracy," Ma

Ying-Jeou, deputy secretary-general of the Nationalist Party,

The Nationalist government led by Warld War II leader

Chiaog Kai-Sheik, Chiang

Ching-Kuo's father, moved to

Taiwan in 1949, after losing a

civil war to the communists oo

the Chinese mainland, and

extended authoritariao rule over

"We believe the time has come

"ecooomic miracle."

wailed in public.

told reporters.

# Taiwan prepares for Chiang funeral

eight Taiwan begao preparations AMRITSAR, Jao 15, (AP): Sikh extremists gunned down 10 peo-ple today, including eight memtoday for a huge state funeral for President Chiang Ching-Kuo as the stock market rebounded bers of a family and a police inspector, police said. Two Sikh militants on a motor

scooter came to the residence of inspector Prem Nath in the Sikh buly city of Amritsar early today and killed him and his wife, Nirmala, with AK-47 assault rifles, said izhar Alam, the police chief. Natb, 47, was a Hiodu.

. A teapot and cups lay scat-tered in a pool of blood at the resident near a busy city square. Khalistao Commando Force,

an underground terrorist organization, claimed responsibility for the killings in a note left at the scene, he said. The extremists are fighting for a separate homeland in the Punjab, which they envision would be called Khalistan. in another attack, an unkn-

own oumber of terrorists came to bouse of Shankar Singh in Nadiala Nazar village in Gurdaspur district last oight and opened fire, said Chaman Lal, a deputy inspector general of

Lal said that nice assailants stormed the house of Singh and opened fire. Singh and seven others, iocludiog his three sons and a daughter, were killed.

The latest killiogs raised the death toll to at least 61 io Punjah this year in attacks hlamed on Sikh extremists. More than 1,000 people died last year in the Sikhdominated northern state.

TAIPEI, Jan 15, (Reuter): General Hospital in a Taipei

strongly in the first sign of confidence in the new administra-Leaders of the ruling Nationalist Party and government met to work out details of the funeral, expected to be the island's higgest since Chiang's father,

China's wartime leader General Chiang Kai-Sheik, died in 1975, party sources said. But they said the funeral was not expected to be held in the oext

two weeks as the oation contioued to mourn Chiang, who died of a heart attack on Wednesday. The government has declared a month of national mourning during which all demonstrations

have been banned. Leave for the military and police has been can-Thousands of mourners con-

the island, which prospered tinued to throng the Veterans' ecocomically.

### 150,000 Iranian pilgrims

NICOSIA, Jan 15, (Reuter): Iran will send 150,000 to the yearly pilgrimage io 1988, Tehran Radio said oo Thurs-

day.

The radio, monitored in Nicosia, quoted Irao's top Haj (pilgrimage) official Mehdi Karruhi as saying Iranian pil-grims would hold demonstrations in Islam's holiest cities of

Makkah and Medina "in a more resolute and determined manner than before.

More than 400 people were killed last July 31 in violent clashes between Saudi security forces and mainly Iranian pilgrims during an Iranian demoostration in Makkah led hy Karruhi. Most of the victims

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### Islamabad doesn't possess N-device, certifies Reagan

### **US aid to Pakistan will continue**

WASHINGTON, Jan 15, (Agencies): President Reagan quietly certified in December that Pukistan "does nnt possess a nuclear explosive device," clearing the way for American aid to Pakistan to continue, the Washington Post reported

Reagan's letter, required by Congress, was seot to congressional leaders Dec 17 hut not released publicly.

Reagan wrote that based "on the evidence available and on the statutory standard, I have con-cluded that Pakistan does not possess a nuclear explosive device.

Concern

"The proposed United States assistance programme for Pakistan remains extremely important in reduciog the risk that Pakistan will develop and ultimately possess such a device," Reagan wrote, according to the Post. "I am convinced that our security relatiooship and assistance programme are the most effective means available to us for dissuading Pakistao from acquiring ouclear explosive

Indian Army

**Bofors guns** 

NEW DELHI, Jan 15, (Reuter):

India showed off its newly-

acquired Bofors field guns today and its chief of staff issued a stiff

warning to potential aggressors.
Two of the 155-mm weapons,

which India has bought from Sweden in a \$1.3 billion contract

surrounded by charges of bribery and political corruption, were on

display for the first time at the

Army Day parade, which served as a curtain-raiser for the much

larger Republican Day parade

The Chief of Staff General

Krishnaswami Sundarji, in a

speech to the parade also atten-

ded by foreign military attaches

said Indian combat-readiness

had been put to the test more

than once io the past year.
"We were challenged by Pak-

istan in Siacbeo (Kashmir) where

our brave officers and meo gave a fitting reply. Our responses to the Chinese intrusion in Sumdorong

Chu (on the Tibet border) have.

left no one in any doubt about

Turning to the Indian peace-

keeping force in Sri Lanka, Sun-

darji said Indian soldiers had

compassion and determina-

peace-loving nation but warned its potential adversaries not to

mistake this for a sign of weak-

oess. India was better prepared

and more determined than ever,

one is thrust upoo us again, we

shall resist and retaliate with all

our might to make the aggressor

pay heavily for his misadven-

The Bofors gun is ao automatically-loading Howitz-

wer which can fire three 42.6 kg

The Swedish company woo

the order against competing hids

from Austria, France and an

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India is investigating allegations

that Bofors paid more than \$40

million to middlemen including

highly-placed Indian politicians,

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(18 miles) in 13 secoods.

to secure the contract.

Bangladesh

exaggerated

DHAKA, Jan 15, (AP): Ao

independent survey published

Thursday disputed government

figures on how much mooey months of political unrest has

cost the country io decreased

8.5 billion takas (\$258 millioo) in

decreased productioo in Novem-

ber and December, the survey

said. It said government

millioo were exaggerated.

estimates of a daily loss of \$50

The loss of production was due to intermittent general strikes

called hy opposition parties demaoding the ouster of President Hossain Mohammad

Ershad, said the survey, conduc-

ted by the Metropolitan Cham-

bers of Commerce and Industry,

The group said the country lost 500 million takas (\$15.15) on

In additioo to political unrest,

which has mainly burt industry,

floods also have damaged the

The country's primarily agrarian economy lost 3.16 per

cent of its Gross National

The cumulative effect of the

Product due to floods last year.

floods and the unrest mean the

economy will lose 4.86 per cent of

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oo Jan 26

shows off

Reagan's assessment comes despite US intelligence reports that Pakistan has been producing weapons-grade enriched

uranium. White House acceptance would clear the way for the disbursal of \$480 million in US military and economic assistance to Pakistan this fiscal year.

"We bave serious concerns about Pakistan's unsafeguarded nuclear programme and the threat of nuclear proliferation in South Asia," said State Department spokesman Charles Red-

Sources in the administration said the State Department had concluded that Pakistan likely played a role in an attempt to smuggle two restricted metals out of the Uoited States last year. But the sources said the department was recommending that

Reagan invoke a provision of a 1985 law sponsored by representative Stepen Solarz allowing the government to contioue aid if it is in US oatiooal security interest. Redman told reporters "no

final decision has been made hy the President on the applicability of Solarz amendment.

PARIS, Jan 15, (Reuter): Fifteen

expelled Iranian and Turkish

refugees returned to France and

Spaio last night in what commeo-

tators said was a humiliating

policy reversal hy conservative

Prime Minister Jacques Chirac.

The climbdown came barely

three days before Chiracis expec-

ted to announce he will stand

candidate in presidential elec-

The 15 refugees, who had all

been granted political asylum

before they were expelled to Gabon on Dec 8, were allowed to

return to Western Europe for

bumanitarian reasons, the

French Interior Ministry said in

on hunger strike sloce their

expulsion. The seven who

arrived io Paris were taken to

hospital for treatment after land-

Many of the refugees had been

a statement

tions io France due in April.

Policy reversal by Chirac

Under that measure, Congress suspended new aid to Pakistao last September out of concern nver its programme in develop nuclear weapons. In December, hnwever, lawmakers voted for \$480 million in new economic and military aid, \$60 million less

than the Reagao administration requested. Certificate

> Congress a legally required cer-tification that Pakistan did not have a nuclear bomb. The new State Department recommendation was consistent with that ruling. The White House was expected to relay it to Coogress, perbaps hefore it reconvenes oo Jan 25, said congressional and administration

The administration also sent

sources. Administration officials have argued that cutting all aid might force Pakistan to turn to nuclear weapons for defence.

They also worry that cutting of aid might prompt Pakistan to stop channeling an estimated \$500 in coovert US aid to Afghan Mujahedeen.

Disclosure of the recommendation came as private task force

refugees had heeo plotting

terrorist acts, but sympathisers

said they were pawns io an

the Iranian government.

sure of opinion.

Washinton.

"ugly deal" between Paris and

Deais

expulsions were part of complex

deals with Tehran to try to free

French hostages held in

Lehanoo. Socialist Party leader

Liooel Jospio said: "Chirac has

been forced to how to the pres-

Socialists and human rights

activists said Chirac caved in to

domestic and international

outrage over the expulsions and

the hunger strikes by the

refugees' families and sympath-

isers in Paris, London and

Under an agreement betweeo Paris and officials of the People's

Mujabedin organisation, the 15

were allowed to return on condi-

Opposition socialists said the

France readmits Iranians

urged the administration to withhold at least some advanced conventional weapons from Pakistan "to enhance the credibility of US nnnproliferation efforts in the region in light of Pakistan's recent ouclear activities."

Meanwhile, West German Environment Minister Klaus Toepfer said today be had asked for full-scale probe ioto "dread-ful suspicions" that weaponsgrade nuclear material may have been shipped illegally to Pakistan and Lihya by a West German

company.

The federal Parliament met in an emergency session to discuss revelations that were quickly developing into a major scandal after a night of frantic meetings to assess the impact from the growing affair.

"In light of the dreadful susp icions that fissinn material could have been shipped to Pakistan or Libya thrnugh Germany, in addition to the ongoing prosecutors probe, I have put all means at my disposition to hring the facts to light," Toepfer told a stormy session of Parliament.

The Spaoisb government

agreed to accept eight of the refugees — five Iranians and

three Turks - and the rest

arrived later yesterday in Paris,

smuggled in to a military base

away from the glare of publicity.

Television, said he would

anoounce his plans for standing

for President tomorrow. Party

sources say he will definitely

aooounce he is running. Commeotators said Chirac,

trailing coalition partner Raymood Barre and Presideot

François Mitterrand in opinion

polls ahead of the April poll, was

losing support because of his tough lice on the refugees.

Chirac said the Iraniao dis-

sidents in Paris bad agreed to halt

their protests in France against

Tebran in returo for his

agreement to allow the 15 to

Chirac, interviewed oo French

activities.

sbed on Sunday and Monday in the disputed Himalayan state of Kashmir. "At a minimum (it is) a gross exaggeration, if not totally false", he said.

India became the second nation in Asia after China to have nuclear-powered submarines on Jan 5 when the Soviet Union haoded one over under a lease agreement.

Indian Television has said the vessel would be used for training, but few other details have been made public. The weekly magazioe India Today said io a receot issue that New Delhi could lease four to six nuclear submarines.

### **Groom quits** over dowry

NEW DELHI, Jan (Reuter): An indian groom left his bride-to-be standing with the priest because her family failed to come up with a dowry, police Said today. Ajit Singh ran away from the

processioo taking him to his wedding in New Delhi yesterday when the bride's father failed to meet a last minute demand for the dowry.

The giving of dowries, while outlawed, is still widespread in India:

under Indiao Army regulatioos.

# tion they ceased any militant Chirac's government said the

Military drummer of the Indian Army playing a patriotic song for the Army Day parade in New Deihi. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Rebels refuse to share power with Kabul left

ISLAMABAD, Jan 15, (Reuter): Afghan Mujahedeen said on Thursday they would not sbare power with communists, despite eported remarks by Pakistani leaders that a future interim goveroment should include members of the curreot Kahul administration.

The New York Times quoted President Muhammad Zia-ul-Haq and Prime Minister Mohammad Khan Junejo assaying in separate interviews that ooly a compromise involving all warriog parties could guarantee an end to the nine-year-old guerrilla war

Coalition

This meant some members of the pro-Soviet gnvernment, through not necessarily President Najibullah, should be included in an administration to take nver after a Snviet troop withdrawal, they were quoted as

saying. Questioned about the Pakistani officials' remarks, representatives of three of the seven Pakistan-based resistance reiterated their refusal to share power with their enemies.

"We cannot accept a coalition government," was the reaction of alliance chairman Youous Khalis, according to a spokesman for his Hezb-e-Islami party. Khalis did not elaborate. "Newspaper interviews are

not official positions, we don't consider this an official position," Najihullah Lafraie, political officer for Jamait-e-İslami, said. "As far as a coalitioo govern-

ment with commuoists is coocer-ned, this is rejected by the Mujahedeen," be said. Najibullah Mojadidi, general

secretary of Jahha-e-Nijat-Milli, said he had not seen the text of Zia and Junejo's reported remarks and any reaction would have to come from the sevenparty alliance as a whole.

But the Mujabedeen had always rejected the idea of communists sharing in a post-Soviet administration.
"Any individual who has par-

ticipated with the puppets is considered by us a pro-Soviet who has helped the Soviet preseoce io Afghanistan," he said. "They are ncluded in the same category."

### Indians punished for rape

JAFFNA, Jao 15, (Reuter): Four Indian soldiers have beeo discharged and senteoced to ooe year in prisoo after cooviction for rape lo Sri Lanka's northern Jaffoa peoinsula, an Iodiao officer said oo Thursday.

The soldiers were among 35,000 Indian troops posted to the north and east to enforce an Indo-Sri Lankan accord last year to end a Tamil separatist revolt.

Brigadier R.I.S. Kahlon, Jaffna town commander, said the four were brought before a court martial within 96 hours of the filing of charges and punished

This was the first time ao Indian official had admitted that accusations of rape made hy residents against Indian troops.

who started landing in Sri Lanka oo July 30, bad been found to be Residents also have complained about molestation of women, thefts and harassment, Kahlon told a group of journal-

ists who were taken on a conducted tour of Jaffna. He said all complaints were investigated and most were

found to be incorrect.





**KUWAIT PRESS DIGEST** 

A KUWAITI daily opined on Thursday that the Idea of an inter-

national peace conference on the Middle East is a "dead" one,

indicating that the countries who brought it into being are not-

At Rat At Aam, in its editorial entitled "the international con-

ference, a waste of time," said "despite our deep-conviction of the

futility of the idea, we seek the big powers to endorse it and

The dolly said that the hope for success for such a conference is

"zero" because it is unlikely that the victim appeals an unjust

verdict to the same judge who passed it. Loss is certain in both

A possibility for a settlement is absolutely impossible in the near

future, either through on international conference or any other

tragedies in the world," adding, "if years of contacts were needed

to prepare for it, then its holding in case Israel agrees to it, will

require five years and maybe more to implement the solution.

Mideast peace conference

convinced with it.

encourage Israel to accept it."

**GULF PRESS** 

### Mubarak arrives in Baghdad after ending Gulf tour

### Egypt's Arab image boosted

BAGHDAD, Jan 15, (Agencies): Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak today arrived in Baghdad from Saudi Arabia on a visit to Iraq within the framework of his current Gulf tour.

Mubarak was received by Iraqi President Saddam Hussein and other ranking Iraqi officials. The Egyptian leader arrived here from Saudi Arabia where he

performed the Omra. Mubarak ended a six-nation Gulf tour on Thursday and headed for Saudi Arabia to visit

the holy places in Makkah. The President, who started bis Gulf swing in Saudi Arabia last Saturday in talks with King Fahd, left after meeting Sultan

Qaboos Bin Said of Oman. Egyptian officials said the two leaders discussed the Gulf war, one of the main topics covered in all the countries be visited.

His itinerary included Kuwait, Babrain, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates as well as Oman and Saudi Arabia. Commitment

The tour has won Mubarak both prestige and prospects of aid for his debt-ridden country, diplomats said.

For its part, Cairo restated its commitment to the security of Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) states in case of any Iranian attack.

Mubarak's visit was his first since nine Arab states resumed diplomatic ties with Egypt in November after eight years of ostracism.

Regional Arab banks were now reconsidering their decision

WASHINGTON, Jan 15, (Reu-

ter): US Defence Secretary

Frank Carlucci denied on Thurs-

day that be been asked by Saudi

Arabia and other moderate Gulf

Arab states to increase the num-ber of ships under US flag in the

"I never got that kind of a

What they did say is that it is

specific request from the Saudis," Carlucci told US Telev-

important that the Iranians

understand that the Gulf is an

international waterway and

there should not be indiscrimin-

ate attacks on shipping and we agree with that," Carlucci said.

uing Iranian attacks on other

ships in the Gulf, especially those

under European flags, Carlucci

THE cargo of seven trucks con-

laining clothing and blankets have been distributed at the

Palestinian refugee camps in Jor-

dan, the head of Kuwait's

Student Union delegation said.

and KD60,000 with be given to

ncedy people in cooperation with

zakat committees at the camps.

He added that part of the money

will also be sent to the families of

martyrs from the current upris-

ing in the occupied West Bank

The delegation head, speaking

to reporters in Amman, said that

supplies and money for the

refugee camps had been collected

through the charity bazaar

organised by students in Kuwait. He explained that the purpose of

the charity campaign was not

only to raise money for refugees

but to make people more aware

that the Palesunian people are a

people without a hometand, in

The union has regularly con-

tributed to aiding refugees in Jor-

danian camps, he said, and mem-

bers visit the camps in an effort to

fully understand the miserable

conditions in which the refugees

and Gaza Strip.

need of assistance.

Relief

supplies

distributed

When asked about the contin-



Hosni Mubarak

to close credit lines to Egypt. bankers said. Arab diplomats said they expected investment in Egyptian development projects

Troops On the military front. Mubarak's political aide Osama Baz said in Oman the GCC states did not ask for Egyptian troops.

But sources close to the President said he reviewed contingency plans in case of a direct Iranian threat spilling over from Tehran's war with Iraq.
Egypt is reluctant to send

troops to the region in case Iran sees this as a provocation. But Mubarak told Gulf leaders be would not hesitate to implement a 1950 defence pact if need be.

When asked what measures he would take in case of a direct Iranian attack of any of the GCC states, Mubarak, a former Air

said: "It is important to under-

stand we didn't sign to be the

Gulf's policeman. We didn't take

on responsibility to protect every

Review

tradition of protecting ships

under American flags, combined with the effort of US allies, "does

establish the principle of free

of US naval force in the Gulf was

under review, but declined to say

what type of changes, if any,

(the force), we may decide to

decrease it ... the point is that our

commitment remains and we

intend to carry it out. We will

"We may decide to increase it

He said that the size and type

But be said that the US Navy's

for larger US force in Gulf

ship in the Gulf.

Force chief, said: "I cannot discuss these malters with the press.

Arms

Most Arabstates, including all the GCC countries except Oman. severed links with Egypt when it signed its 1979 peace treaty with

Nine states restored relations last November after an Arab league summit freed them to act individually.

Mubarak offered Egyptianmade arms to any Arab state seeking to defend itself. Diplomats said Kuwait, the target of occasional Iranian missile attacks, would getsome weapons and military experts.

Egypt already supplies Iraq with about a billing dollars worth of arms a year and is interested in new Gulf markets to boost production.

Peace conference Despite Mubarak's calls for Arab unity against Iran, he bas repeatedly urged Tehran to make

The President also discussed efforts to convene an international, UN-brokered, peace conference on the Middle East. He demanded a united Arab stand to convince Washington to pressure Israel into accepting

such a meeting.
"Once the Arabs act wisely and agree on representation at the international conference Israel will be left alone. Mubarak told Oatar Television.

our mission safely."
He called the US mission in the

Gulf "enormously successful" and said relations with US Gulf

Budget cut
Carlucci said defence budget

cuts ordered by Congress would

mean "completely redoing the

budget from top to bottom"

which he said was "troubling in

the sense we are going to end up

that makes sense. ... We are not

going to sbortchange readiness."

He said the cuts would result in

a smaller military establish-

ment," and that major weapons

systems would be climinated and

military bases closed but

"We are trying 10 do it in way

with a smaller military force.

allies "have never been better."

He wants a common Arab position before going to Washington later this month. Carlucci denies Saudis asked

 The Chairman and Director-General of Kuwait News Agency (Kuna), Barges Al Barges (centre) meeting a delegation of students of the Jordanian University. The head of the delegation, Dr Hani Abdul Rahman, presented Al Barges with the flag of the university and a number of its publications.

### Subscribers making plenty of phone calls will be charged

A KUWAITI daily, quoting a Kuwait Ministry of Communications spokesman, said that additional charges would be imposed on telephone subs-cribers who make more than an average number of internal calls, which would apply to both office and bome subscribers.

Meanwhile, Undersecretary of Kuwait's Communications Ministry, Abdul Aziz Al Aynub. said that the ministry's project to modernise telephone networks in the country is in its final stages, but added that there was still work being done to transfer above-ground cables to underground networks and to lay lines

Charges for

under study

THE Director General of

Kuwait Municipality Rasbed Abdullah Al Othman said the

legal committee of the municipal

affairs committee is preparing a

study on the feasibility of charg-

ing for Municipality cleaning

services. The proposed charges

would not exceed KDI per

month for each residential unit,

he said, adding that there would

be different categories for defin-

still under consideration, he said.

adding that the Ministry of Elec-

tricity and Water had refused to

include this fee on their bills. He

said the Municipality hoped to

reach a decision soon about fee

collection which would involve

one of the government depart-

ments or ministries in order to

avoid the high administrative

cost of the process.

Directory

of scientists

DR Yusuf Saadah, the head of

the human resources develop-

ment unit at Kuwait's

Educational Research Centre,

said the unit is preparing a direc-

tory of names of those involved

in scientific experiments and

development plans in various

In an interview with the

Kuwait News Agency Dr Saadah said the aim of the directory is to

provide human resources for

scientific and educational research and the development of

cultural, social and economic

The project is designed to also

help officials to select systems

which experience has proven

efficient and effective, he said,

and will be updated every three to

ntanning.

The issue of fee collection is

cleaning

services

ing these units.

in new areas.

Al Ayoub said the ministry fines contractors who destroy telephone cables during their work, adding that charges will also be made to cover the actual cost of the destroyed materials as well as the fine.

Video Tex

The undersecretary said the telephone communication systems among GCC states are now linked through underwater cables and satellites and that unified tariffs for calls made between GCC countries bad been in effect for some time.

A new project for an informa-tion system, Video Tex, has started and the ministry bas installed all necessary computer equipment for the system, Al Ayoub said, adding that the ministry bas allocated 30 per cent of the income from this system to future development.

The ministry's postal service is now completely developed and the postal code system and automatic letter sorting results, he said, with the exception of mail addressed to the Sabab Al Salem and Bayan areas, which is still being organ-

# Senator calls for more

ters. Senator Arlen Specter of Pennsylvania said that the Reagan-Gorbachev summit opens new possibilities for joint US-Soviet peace efforts in the

weeper escorting a merchant ship passed the suspected mine but sailed on until the ship was out of danger. When the Soviet minesweeper returned to search for the mine, it radioed the battle cruiser

The Turner then radioed an accompanying American war-

### spring holiday

A TOTAL of 65,000 people travelled abroad for the spring holidays through land routes alone, a Kuwaiti daily reported, adding that a comparable number was expected to have left the

country by air. Thedaily said that this number represented people travelling through Abdali, Salmi and Nuwaiseeb horder crossings last

the search, accompanied by a second belicopter gunship to provide protection.

In his comments, Specter, a member of the Senate Appropriations and Intelligence Committees, urged the Soviets to slipport a US-sponsored arms embargo against Iran. Despite hints last month of a change in positions, Soviet officials recently have again suggested that an arms embargo is premature.

The senator also suggested that a Soviet-proposed United Nations peacekeeping naval force with US and Soviet participation 'might' effectively protect international shipping in

the Gulf. A unified US-Soviet stand, Specter stressed, is the key to solving the region's problems.
"If the Soviet Union and the US make up their minds to do some-thing, it will be done" he said.

### Unified civil defence law

A KUWAITI daily, quoting a well-informed source at Kuwait's Interior Ministry, said the deliberations were underway between Gulf Cooperation Council Interior Ministries, 10 reach a unified strategy on implementation of the civil detence law, following the system used in Kuwait.

The source said that eight specialised Kuwaiti officers working in this field have been selected to represent the country in the deliberations and to explain the system followed in Kuwait for civil defence activities.

The source added that a new department of National Security would be set up at the ministry following the completion of

### proposal by the UN Security Council or the superpowers, it pointed It said, "the international conference is one of the biggest political

### Israeli defiance of UN decision

UNITED Arab Emirates newspapers in their editorials on Thursday stressed that Israel's defiance of the International decisions demonstrate its colonialist nature in seeking to usurp Arab lands and expel their people.

Al littihad newspaper of Abu Dhabi asked "what has the United Nations Security Council done to face the deliberate defiance of its resolutions and what steps does it plan to adopt to enforce respect for its decisions?"

The newspaper noted that the uprising in the occupied lands, which led to the councit's resolution condemning the expulsion of Palestinians, will continue to have on effect on future moves by the council. The stone-throwing revolution which tied down the American velowill surely move the world public opinion ogainst the expulsion operations.

The newspaper appealed for "unified Arab support of the uprising facing the Zionist arrogance and to ensure its continuity and escalation, the only decisive reply to the enemy."

Al Bayan newspaper of Dubai sold "the Israell enemy has slapped the Security Council twice, once when it rejected the condemnation of repressive measures in occupied lands and in its refusal to cancel the decision to expel activists."

The newspaper added "israel olso insulted the council when it prevented the United Nations envoys from carrying out his mission or enlering the Palestinian camps."

The newspaper also said "the Israeli continued defiance of the United Nations is proof of the hypocrisy of those who speak obout human rights in relation to the olleged rights of Jews trying to immigrate to Israel while they support with arms and money, and even diplomatic actions, oll illegitimate Israeli actions."

### **Plants** distributed to campers

KUWAIT'S General Authority for Agricultural Affairs and Fish Resources distributed hundreds of plants to campers at a number of camping areas on Wednesday.

Abdul Mohsen Al Galaf, the head of the authority's gardens section, said that over 2,000 plants had been given to campers in an effort to change desert camping sites to green areas. Campers were shown how to plant and care for the plants, which are a type generally grown in desert regions, he said, adding that the authority was pleased with the positive response of citizens in receiving the idea of greening the

Al Galaf encouraged residents to check on the growth of trees they had planted, and said that if the idea of having campers plant trees and plants was widely accepted, the authority would repeat the distribution in coming

### **Drugs shortage** solved

THE acting Undersecretary Ibrahim Al Mudaf of Kuwait's Health Ministry said the shortage of drugs at health centres and hospitals had been solved following an increase in the budget from KD14 million to 18

Al Mudaf said that the dearth in drugs was the result of governmeni's alternots to curb expenditures on medicines and failure to take bospital and health centre expansion into consideration. He added that the demand for drugs was continually increasing and that the whole drugs supply at the ministry had been exhausted prior to approval of the additional budget demands.

The acting undersecretary said that the increased budget enabled the ministry to import larger quantities of drugs without affecting the drugs in reserve for emer-

### University results

KUWAIT... University will approunce the results of the seconde semester exams next week, said the dean of admission and registration, Dr Mustafa Marafi.

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5 students, mostly Kuwaitis, had taken the examin-

Commenting on admissions, Al Marafi, said seats have been reserved for students from GCC countries. Many GCC students have applied for seats in various faculties and they bave been selected, he said. Seats are also reserved for Kuwaitis and children of military personnel, he

Enrolment has begun and several Kuwaitis have completed formalities. Acceptance will be mailed to each student, he added: Students will be given the chance to apply for the subject of his

Computer-aided admissions are to be introduced next year. Staff are now being trained to use the new system, recently installed at the university

### 29 accidents

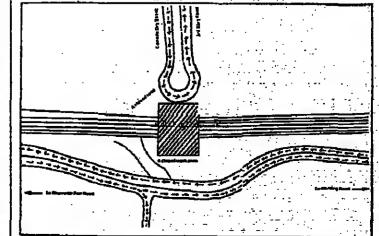
TWO men died in traffic accidents on Thursday. There were 29 traffic accidents

in Kuwait, with three taking place in the capital, three in Hawalli, five in Ahmadi and 18 in

### Road closed

A SOURCE at Kuwait's General Traffic Department announced that traffic from Shuwaikh Port to Ghazali Street will be detoured to Mohammed Ibn-Al Qassim Street because of the closing of the intersection of Third Ring Road and Ghazali

Traffic from Ghazali Street to Shuwaikh Port will be detoured to Fourth Ring Road and then Mobammed Ibn Al Qassim Street and then to the port



#### have enough ships to carry out declined to specify which ones. Special legislation needed to enforce anti-smoking plans

DR Hussein Momen, the Secretary General of the Kuwait Anti-Smoking and Cancer Control Society, said special legislation is needed to enforce the antismoking programme sponsored by the society and emphasised that 24 per cent of the number of smokers were students at intermediate and secondary levels and that 64 per cent of the number of intermediate level female students had tried smoking at least once. He added that the number of students who smoked had increased from 13 to 24 per cent since 1986 in spite of early attempts to include anti-smoking material in educationat

Dr Momen appointed the

### course ends

THE second special potice patrol course concluded yesterday at November.

Fifteen participants successfully completed the course and were given graduation cer-Uficates by the director of the institute Lt Col Yousef Al Sadui

Social Services Senior Principal in the Jahra Education Area Nayef Diham to set up an ad-hoc committee from the Education Ministry and the society to lead the anti-smoking campaign at

schools. Dr Momen said at a recent symposium entitled Smoking and Education held at the society's headquarters, that the role played by the Education Ministry in increasing awareness of the dangers of smoking among students was deficient.

The secretary-general said a concerted effort was needed immediately to prevent smoking

Investigations are currently underway to determine if the boys had any previous record of delinquent behaviour.

### Police patrol

the non-commissioned officers institute, which began last among students.

### Six detained for theft

CRIMINAL Investigation Department officers at Kuwait's Capital Governorate arrested six boys between the ages of t3 and 15 on charges of theft. The gang of boys were charged with theft from cooperative societies in Faiha and Dhahiyat Abdulla

# at a special ceremony.

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Tender documents can be purchased from the administration services dept. at KNPC Head Office from 18-1-1988

#### **US-Soviet cooperation** WASHINGTON, Jan 15, ship to launch its Lamps-3 surveillance helicopter to aid in

(Kuna): A US Senator, touring the Gulf, is calling for expanded cooperation between the US and Soviet Union in protecting the Gulf region and ending the Iran-Iraq war, press reports bere quoted him yesterday as saying: Speaking to American repor-

Specier also disclosed that for

the first time the US responded on Jan 5 to a Soviet request to hunt a mine in Gulf waters showing rare cooperation between the two superpowers in the Gulf waters.
The US responded by sending

two helicopters in response to a Soviet message giving the location of a suspected mine. The Russians eventually blew up the Specter said a Soviet mines-

Richmond Turner for help.

### 65,000 crossed borders for

### Gel-like slime from Gulf catfish helps heal wounds

LOS ANGELES, Jan 15, (AP): Venomous Gulf catlish excrete a gel-like slime that dramatically speeds the healing of cuts and might spur development of new wound treatment for humans, a researcher says.

'tf you put it on a wound, you can actually see the wound start to close over in the next two or three minutes," said Richard Criddle, a professor of bio-chemistry and biophysics at the University of California at

"I used it on me. It works great." he said on Wednesday. Criddle and Kuwait University biochemist J.M. Hassan spent part of the last five years catching and scraping the slime coating off arius bilineatus, a species of saltwater catfish that grows up to 3 feet long, sports venomous spines and scavenges

the muddy bottom of the Gult.

The scientists found that the

slime contains antibiotics, a congulant that helps close injured blood vessels, antiinflationary agents, and a chemical that directs production of a glue-like material that aids Their research started after

they heard that Arab fisherman rub catfish on their wounds to quicken healing. In a telephone interview from Davis. Criddle said he doubts the slime itself could be marketed for human use because of the dif-

ficulty in catching enough of the

catfish and because the gel may contain undesirable substances. But he said he is analysing the makeup of the slime in hopes of developing a similar substance that could be used on humans.

Secrete Laboratory tests showed the slime reduced by up to Iwo-thirds the amount of time needed for healing of cuts on mice, rats and rabbits, Criddle said, adding that he used it once when he cut his hand during a fishing trip. He said Hassan successfully used it on himself about a dozen times. The gel causes a brief stinging sensation when it is applied to

When wounded, the catfish secrete the slime from glands near the surface of their skin, Criddle said. Criddle said the slime helps

cuts, Criddle said.

injured eatlish avoid attracting oredators. "If they get injured, they heal, very rapidly," he said, "You don't want to bleed in the sea. It draws the unfortunate attention

of predators" Criddle said the research supports scientists' suspicions that many bony fish carry skin cells that promote healing. But, he added, most such fish release the contents of the cells inside their

### هكذا من الأحل

### Doctors stage sit-in in support of uprising

working in Kuwait on Thursday night staged a sit-in at the headquarters of the Kuwait Medical Professions Socienes to express solidarity with the popular uprising of the Palestin-

ian people. Head of the Kuwait doctors society Dr Abdullab Al Rasbaid delivered a speech in which he hailed the revolution of the Palestinian people

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He also said that 'the blood spilled in Palestine is the same shedded in the Palestinian refugee camp and the same on the eastern Arab flank of steadfast iraq"

Assistance

After speeches by chairman of the general union of Palestinian doctors and pharmacists Dr Mahmoud Abu Hashish and secretary-general of the Palestinian Red Crescent Society Dr Bassam Al Qasrawi, deputy speaker of the Palestine National Council, Salim Al Zanoun, delivered a speech calling on the Palestinian people to be self-dependent so as to restore their full rights.

Zanoun, who is the representative of Fatah commando movement in the Gulf region,

By Lima Al Khalafawi

THE public should promptly

report any faulty goods or dis-

crepancies among fixed-price goods, which are subsidised, the

director of the consumer protec-tion department at the Com-

merce Ministry, Bader Al Mulla,

consumers can be of 'great help'

the consumer protection law.

in pin-pointing the violators of

Unfortunately the public showed a low level of vigilance

and failed to use the special

facilities designed to protect the

centres in Hawaili, Jahra, Far-

waniya and Jabriya to monitor

prices and the quality of goods.

Fixed price goods included rice,

sugar, ghee, snacks, powdered milk, meat, and some building

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economy and only the price of

He said the ministry's coo-

sumer protection department

was coordinating with the

Health Ministry and the Mun-

icipality in checking the contents

of products to see whether they

tallied with the contents stated

He said a number of firms in

Hoog Kong and Taiwan were producing copies of established

products, but this was now being

subsidised goods were fixed.

"Free market .....

materials.

on the label.

These facilities included four

He told the Arab Times that

called on the Kuwaii Red Crescent Society and the medical professions societies to participate in the voyage on board the ship that will carry a number of Palestinian deportees back to occupied Palestine.

Exposed

Secretary-General of Kuwait Red Crescent Society Barges Hmoud Al Barges said the society has spared no efforts in extending medical and humanitarian assistance to the Palestin-

ian people in refugee camps.

Barges added that he will convey to the society's officials to requirements of the Palestinians in the occupied territories so as to meet their needs

Barges called for reasonable and logical way for supporting the uprising away from dealing with sentiments, and stressed that working out a programmed plan for the continuation of support by the Arab medical organisations and establishments is the ideal way for such humanitarian

Barges criticised the Arab doctors, holders of European and US citizenships, who fail to extend help to the injured Pales-

Be vigilant, consumers asked

Bader Al Mulia

The department had received a

complaint from a woman that a

shampoo she used bad a

oegative result oo her hair. It

had the contents of the shampoo

analysed, and then confiscated

the whole shipment and fined the

shop-owner, he said, explaining

that the cootents of the shampoo

The Arab Times asked people for their views on imitation

goods and oo prices, and found

A consumer who bad been in

Kuwait over 20 years said that

shop keepers wanted higger

profits so they charged more

KUWAIT'S Awaaf and Islamic Affairs Ministry, Under-secretary Mohammed Al Humd-

han on Thursday received chief

of justice and chairman of Islamic Supreme Council in

Ugandan official in Kuwait

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tinians in the occupied territories, because they have better chance to do so than other Arab doctors

Hc called on Arab medical societies to expose the Israeli brutal practices on the inter-

Barges warned that the mass media will concentrate on secondary issues to distract the Arab peoples away from the uprising and called for joint Arab confrontation of the dangers facing the Arab nation.

He emphasised that the Kuwnit Red Crescent Society will deal with the difficulties facing the delivery of aid to the Palestinians under occupation in cooperation with the Palestinian Red Crescent Society.

The gathering sent a cable 10 HH the Amir and president of the Organisation of Islamic Conference, Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed, calling for support to the uprising until the Palestinian people restore their legitimate rights. They sent cables to the Arab League Secretary-General, the Chairman of the Non-Aligned Movement and Arab and international health organisations on the same issue.

although the same goods were

available at lower prices in other

Many imitation goods were

imported and people bought them regardless of the quality.

But people accustomed to gen-

uine, long-lasting goods never

hesitated to pay more for quality,

Another person said he could not afford to buy costly

products, hut purchased items

A person who has been resid-

ing in Kuwait for five years said

there were many non-genuine

vebicle parts available in the

market. He found it better to use

genuine parts because they lasted

twice as long as non-genuine ooes, and if the cost of repairs

were added, the genuine parts

imitation perfumes oo the

market, but should not be used

although very cheap because he

felt they had not been tested for

A customer said that prices of

consumer goods were now lower

than before hecause of the

market situation and the great

competition among shops to dis-

Uganda Sbeikh Hussein Rajah

Both officials discussed bilateral Islamic affairs and

means of promoting them.

He also said there were many

proved less expensive.

possible harmful effects.

pose of goods.

be said.

that looked good.



Pediatric surgeon Salyed Mahfooz checks the condition of Slamese twins at Ibn Sina Hospital's intensive care unit. (Photo by Mohd. Bedag)

didates.

found.

one or two years.

Arab countries.

Macedo.

clearly ahead.

office has refused to name those

who have submitted themselves

for the job, but officials said that

there was a maximum of five can-

third five-year term in office in June, and he is unlikely to accept

another full mandate unless

suitable replacement cannot be

tions here that he might agree to

stay on for an interim period of

There have been some sugges-

In intensive behind-the-scenes

discussions at the board session

so far Dr Al Gezairy's name was

being frequently mentioned as

possible successor, with some

delegates considering that he

Qualified

Another strong candidate was

believed to be Japan's Hiroshi

Nakajima, bead of the WHO's

post were the WHO's regional

rector for Africa. Dr Gottliel

Monekasso, and Brazilian

health specialist Dr Carlyle de

The sources stressed that it

despite intensive lobhying by

some of the candidates, it was

still impossible to say that any

one of those in the race was

the organisation would be

decided partly through political "horsetrading", similar to that seen when former Unesco Direc-

tor-General Amadou M'Bow

was voted out of his post at the

end of last year, they observed.

Conference on

cardiac disease

DUBAI, Jan 15. (Kuna); The special 3rd medical conference on cardiac disease and bealth for

Middle East and North African

countries starts deliberations

The conferees will discuss.

over four days, medical issues

dealing with cardiac diseases and

surgeries focussing on studies on

the cardiology field as well as developing medical services in the United Arab Emirates.

An exhibition will be beld on

the sidelines of the conference to show medical equipments used in

bere tomorrow

The selection of a new bead of

Western Pacific region.

Dr Mahler, 62, is due to end his

### Saudi doctor may succeed as WHO chief

GENEVA, Jan 15. (Kuna): Former Saudi Arabian Health Minister Dr Hussein Al Gezairy could succeed Denmark's Dr Halfdan Mahler as Director General of the World Health Organisation,

WHO sources said today. A decision on which of the various candidates will be the next head of the huge UN agency is to be made in a secret meeting in Geneva on Thursday, during the current session of the WHO's 31-member executive board.

The WHO's information

### **Duaij** for Cairo

THE Director General of the Public Authority for Agricul-tural Affairs and Fisheries, Sheikh Ibrahim Duaij Al Sabah, leaves for Cairo today at the invitation of the Egyptian Deputy Premier and Minister of Agriculture and Land Reclamation Dr Yousef Wali.

Deputy Director of Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research, Nazar Mulla Hussein, board chairman of Kuwait United Fisheries Company, Abdul Latif Al Asfour and senior officials

· lo the course of his stay there. the Kuwaiti delegation will acquaint themselves with Egypt's experiment in reclaiming deserts and fish farming and means of converting refuse to

from the authority accompany Sheikh Duaij on his visit.

#### headed the field, the sources said. discuss The Saudi doctor, who is a qualified surgeon, is the director of the WHO's East Mediterranean region, WHO groups most

Also understood to be after the Syrian cultural ties.

educational

The agreement, signed last year, aims at increasing cultural and scientific cooperation between the two countries by available means including exchanging three scholarships for university students.

The agreement also calls for coordination in educational curriculums for various levels and the exchange of visits by sport teams during mid year

### Seminar on environment

A SEMINAR on the relationship between the environment and development projects in Kuwait was held at the Environmental Protection Society last week with Dr Mohammed Al Saraawi from the society and Dr Dbari Al Ajmi, the Director of the Environmental Science Department at Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research as speak-

planting heart-beat regulating Cardiologists from Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Iraq, Egypt, Syria, Jordan, Britain, France, the United States and India will take part in the conference which is organised by Dubai's health department.
The conference aims at exchanging medical expertise in

onstruction.

Dr Al Ajmi spoke about the activities of the Environmental Sciences Department at Kisr in the area of environmental research and development.

catches fire

Thursday.
The high quartz content of the western Danish sand makes it ferry provided by the company Sources added that passengers

### Siamese twins alive and kicking

the Chest Diseases Hospital on

Thursday where they were sup-

posed to undergo ultrasonogra-phy. But upon their arrival there

the test was cancelled because of

a power cut at the hospital. The

twins, escorted by two consul-

tant anaesthetists and nurses.

The case of Siamese Iwins has

fired doctors at Ibn Sina Hosp-

ital with extraordinary team

spirit and specialists including

ists, cardiologists, and nurses are

working closely together in an

This is the second time

Siamese twins are born in

Kuwait. It happened first in

1960s when doctors operated on

female twins but they died in the

Confident

fident because of great advances

in diagnosis, surgery, facilities and equipment. They also stress

that the concept of tackling such

problems has also improved with

greater readiness on the part of

effort and not personalities altb-ough individual talent is much

appreciated" said an anaesthet-

ready to conduct the surgery and

many specialists are on a 24-hour

call in case of an emergency,

Doctors at 1bn Sina Hospital

have not ruled out the possibility

of consulting a foreign expert on

AP adds: A sailor's wife gave

birth Thursday in Bombay to

male Siamese twins who share one

heart, one liver and one spleen,

but doctors said one of them has

to be "sacrificed" so that the

United News of India quoted

doctors in the Bombay Naval

Hospital as saying that the birth

of the twins sharing three vital

organs was "a one-in-a-million

the subject.

other can live.

chance.

Two teams of doctors are

What matters now is a team

doctors to work together.

Doctors now feel more con-

operation.

effort to keep the babies alive.

anestbetists, surgeons, radiolog-

returned to 1bn Sina hospital.

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but one liver the doctors have agreed that it will be possible to separate them without a loss of

Another concern is whether the twins will live until it is safe to operate on them. Doctors were in favour of going slow in testing so as not to expose the babies to unnecessary strain.

They are now in reasonably good condition although they went through a little crisis on Wednesday morning at 3 am when the somewbat weaker looking baby named by doctors Number Two started becoming cyanotic — blue in the face because of the lack of oxygen. This affected the second baby, Number One, as well because they sbare a blood circulation

Doctors are full of praise for consultant anaesthetist, Dr Jaffar Faraj, who was on duty at the time and who promptly inserted endotracheal tubes into babies' lungs attaching them to two separate mechanical ventilation machines to help the babies breath normally.

The critical situation may arise a lung in one of the bables collapses. Both babies would then be in danger because of the high rate of impure gases in their bloodstream.

Another threat comes from the so called shunting which occurs when one circulation system is bombarded by another causing acidoses - formation of acids which have a disruptive effect on the body.

Sure Doctors are sure that if one baby suffers an affliction the other will be affected too. They found that if one baby is pinched the pulse of both quickens, and if one is given an anaesthetic both fall asleep. If their bodily functions are not disrupted the twins can live at least five years without being separated, say the doctors. They quote ao example of Siamese twins joined at the back

who lived 65 years. The twins made a futile trip to

### Kuwait-Syria cultural ties

DAMASCUS, Jan 15, (Kuna): Kuwait's ambassador to Syria Ahmad Al Jassem met Friday with the Syrian Mioister of Education Mohammed Al Halabi to discuss Kuwaiti-

The meeting touched upoo cuiturai cooperation in light of the recently signed three-year cultural agreement.

Dr Al Saraawi explained the importance of the Waterfront Project in providing attractive views of Kuwait's coast and that the project had been carried out after geological studies which focused on the effect of the construction of project utilities on marine life, as well as the effect of wave and current movements on

### **Dubai to import** 30 tons of sand

COPENHAGEN, Jan 15, (Reuter): Not content with its own 1.500 square miles of desert, Dubai in the United Arab Emirates has decided to import 30 tonnes of sand from Denmark, a spokesman said on

ideal for water filtration, a task impossible with fine desert sand, explained Poul Erick Beck, managing director of the Silkeborg Kvartssand Company which

won the contract. "I expect business will expand with Arab and other countries who can afford to clean their drinking water and swimming pools this way." he added.

### Bahrain training national workforce

SHEIKH Khalifa Bin Salman Al Khalifa, Bahrain's Minister of Labour and Social Affairs, said the workforce in Bahrain's private sector totalled 140,000 labourers with 42 per cent representing national manpower and 58 per cent foreign, adding that his ministry had set up a training programme aimed at upgrading the national workforce in order to replace the

foreign one. Sheikh Kbalifa, speaking at a press conference following the ninth session of Arab Gulf Social Affairs and Labour Ministers. said that by 1992 it was expected that these percentages would be of more equal proportions and that in ten years the figures

would be reversed. Meanwhile, the minister praised the outcome of the session, saying that several resolutions and recommendations had been passed, which included the organisation of a seminar on the effect of maids on Arab Gulf communities.

### **Girl Guides** camp

THE general administration of the second Arab Girls Guides camp decided to make today a national day for all participating teams.

The camp, located in Bneid Al Gar area, also sent invitations to all Arab ambassadors accredited to Kuwait and concerned per-sonalines to attend the day which will start at 10:00 am until 5:00

Participating teams will be showing folklore dances, songs, traditional modelings and other activities during the one-day event.

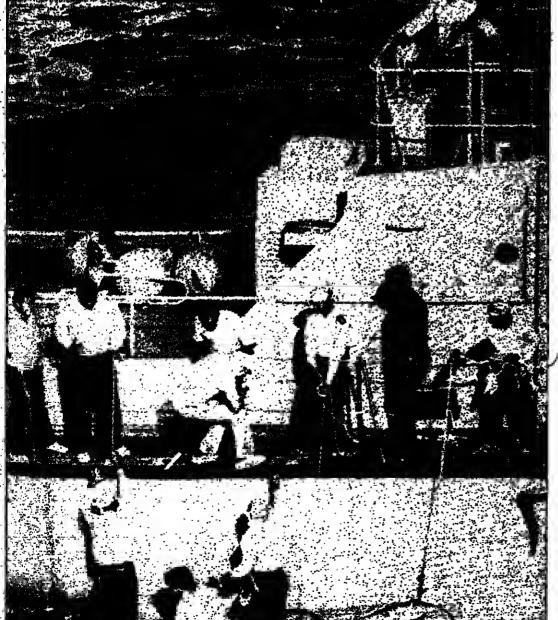
The camp consists of teams from Kuwait, Egypt, Jordan, Sudan, Libya, Bahrain, Palestine and Yemen.



A variety show, featuring glimpses of Indian culture, was held yesterday at the Sharq Cooperative Society by the Bharati Kalai Mandram, a Tamii Nadu group. The show was part of celebrations for the 40th anniversary of Indian ndependence and coincided with Pongal, a harvest festival. A participant is seen presenting a dance. (Picture by Mohammed Bedag)

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Omani Coast Guards help a wounded Norwegian sailor join his Filipino mate aboard a raft boat after they were taken to the Omani coast for treatment. Both men were injured during an iranian attack on the Norwegian tanker igloo Espoo at the mouth of the Gulf yesterday.

### Tanker war hots up as Iran raids 3 ships

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because of the success of Western navies in thwarting Iran from sowing mines, the British news agency Press Association repor-

In Damascus, Syrian Foreign Minister Farouk Al Sharaa confirmed today that "a positive climate" has been reached in contacts between the Gulf countries and Iran.

A well-connected diplomat in the UAE said yesterday that such talks would probably start soon in the UAE capital of Abu Al Sharaa has received a letter

from his Iranian counterpart dealing with efforts to reduce tensions between Iran and the Gulf neighbours, the official Syrian news agency Sana reported yesterday. Sana said the Iranian Ambas-

sador to Damascus, Ali Akbtari, delivered the letter on Wednesday evening Dealt

Sana said the letter dealt with "ongoing efforts to reduce tensions in the area through direct dialogue and without foreign

King Fahd of Saudi Arabia accused Iranian rulers in an interview published today of trying to harm the Gulf states and undermine the Islamic world.

"Iranian rulers are adopting a policy whose aim is to harm all states in the region including the Iranian people," King Fahd told Al Ahram newspaper, in Cairo. This approach serves the

which constantly seeks to spread discord in the Islamic nation to undermine it," the monarch said. He said the Iranian people were suffering because they have been pushed into "pointless conflicts that will only hring under-

development and buman losses."

ends of international Zionism

### this field of therapy. Ferry boat

A KUWAITI daily reported that well-informed sources said a Kuwait Public Transport Company express ferry boat caught fire last Wednesday on its way 10 Failaka from Salmiya marina.

The sources, it was reported, said that KPTC firemen brought the fire under control and passengers were moved to another

on another ferry which broke down at sea last Monday evening were moved to aoother ferry after spending two hours at sea. under difficult weather conditions, but no casualties or injuries were reported.

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### Thought for today

NOT life, but a good lifa, is to be chiefly valued -Socrates, Greek Philosopher (about 470 BC - 399 BC).

### Khomeini sides with radicals

By Martin Marris

lran's (AP): Ayatollah Khomeini, by affirming the absolute power of Islamic government, appears to have sided with radicals wbose proposals for economic reform have been blocked by conservatives.

The 87-year-old patriarch recently accused President Ali Khamenei, who has support among Iran's wealthy merchant class, of trying to limit the role of government, which he said was an institution ordained by the Almighty and founded with absolute power.

Several Iranian leaders quickly expressed approval for Khomeini's statement.

The latest figure to join the fray. Prime Minister Hussein Musavi, has said that Khomeini's decree would strengthen the "executive arm" of

government Musavi told Tehran Radio. monitored in Nicosia, that Khomeini's statement "solves a lot of problems which the Islamic republic has confronted. Biocked

The Prime Minister has been at the forefront of efforts to control soaring inflation, crack down on "profiteers" and redistribute land against resistance from the business community and some religious leaders.

Legislation on these issues has consistently been blocked by the 12 member Council of Guardians, which scrutinises all legislation, on the grounds that Islamic laws on the sanctity of private property would be

:violated. Despite opposition from the council and from Iran's wealthy merchants whose prices would be controlled, K.homeini last July gave the government special powers to enforce its campaign without having to go to the

courts. Price controls were impose on 24 types of goods in an effort to control galloping inflation, estimated at more than 50 per

### Frustrated

Under Iran's theocratic constitution, all legislation passed by the Majlis, or Parliament, must be approved by the Council of Guardians, made up of religious : experts.

Musavi has long been known as an advocate of strong economic measures to help the poor. but Khomeini's latest dictates have also drawn support from more moderate leaders.

Khomeini's designated successor. Ayatollah Hussein Ali Montazeri has expressed veiled frustration with the council's

The official Islamic Republic News Agency quoted him as saying the council should consider the needs of the country and the realities of the revolution "in different periods."

Montazeri even suggested that the council should hold joint sessions with Parliament so the two

bodies could align their views. Although Montazeri has been a staunch defender of the right to private property, which is stres-sed in the Quran his reference to the "different periods" of the revolution suggested a possible shift in his position.

The powerful Speaker, Hasbemi Rafsanjani, said Khomeini's affirmation of government power showed the patriarch's 'depth of leadership and competency of man-

He told Parliament that Khomeini's leadership had saved the people, the revolution and Islam from discord and sedition, Irna reported.

Rafsanjani, a pragmatist who is close to Khomeini, appealed to K bomeini last June to help break the deadlock over economic legislation, but Khomeini demurred until July.

The revolutionary patriarch has reluctantly intervened in day-to-day economic issues and indicated that he prefers legislation to grow out of consensus,

Indications of that reluctance appeared last week when he said in his letter to Khamenei that he would have preferred not to say anything on the issue "in the present sensitive situation." In defence of the government's

rights to expropriate property, Khomeini said it had the right to destroy a house, or even a mosque, as long as it paid a rightful price to its owner.

Our government ... has priority over all other Islamic lenets, even over prayer, fasting and the pilgrimage to Makkah," he was quoted as telling Khameini.

### Diminish

The jockeying for power among Iranian leaders appears to be intensifying and contentious economic issues could figure prominently in the run-up to parliamentary elections April

Khomeini last month announced a new "political will and tes-tament" on how Iran should be run after be dies. No details were released. Observers believe that in a

post-Khomeini Iran, Montazeri may be not much more than a figurehead, with real power going to the winner of a coming power struggle.

Rafsanjani, whose prestige was partially dented by reports he was involved in the US armsto-Iran affair, appears to be trying to identify himself as closely as possible with Khomeini's line.

The current victim of the power struggle appears to be Khamenei. Although Khomeini told him that he prayed to God to "save people like you who have no intention but to serve Islam," his accusation that Khamenei misquoted and misinterpreted his views can only diminish the President's prestige.

### US conservatives afraid of an Afghan sellout

By E . A Wayne

WASHINGTON: Some American conservatives, alarmed by apparent warming in US-Soviet ties, are warning that the administration may bargain away too much in order to get a settlement in Afghanistan. But informed United States officials say that is poppycock. These conservatives say the

danger of "selling out" and mismanaging the situation is evident in reports of policy disagreements between the White House and the State Department. The debate concerns when the US would be willing to stop aid to the Afghan resistance as part of an overall settlement package.

Stories about disagreement are way overblown, State Department and other officials say. The US will hold firm in its support of the Afghan mujahideen until Moscow has agreed to a short withdrawal timetable and a date certain for that to begin. With this and other assurances that the resistance will not be endangered, officials add, the US will stick to its previously confidential agreement to terminate aid to the guerrillas when the Soviet troop withdrawal begins.

Thus far this is academic. officials say, because Moscow has yet to move beyond enticing words to a firm and acceptable withdrawal plan. No substantial

progress was evident during the US-Soviet summit, they say. Until the Soviets hite the hullet, the full range of US support (including covert military aid) for the mujuhideen will con-

The next opportunity to measure Soviet intentions will be the expected February round of United Nations indirect talks between the Soviet-supported Afghan regime and Pakistan.

Sen. Gordon Humphrey (R) of New Hampshire, lashed out at the administration's handling of Afghanistan. Senator Humphrey, a longtime champion of the Afghan resistance, charged that the administration was not applying enough pressure on Moscow to withdraw its troops. The US is not giving enough high-level attention to the Afghan problem, he said. Calling for a "manly" policy in "the face of genocide." Humphrey said he felt betrayed by the "gap between the rhetoric and the practice" of the administration on Afghanis-

The senator's remarks - at a round table discussion sponsored by the Heritage Foundation, a conservative public policy research institute seemed to reflect the more general souring of some conservatives on President Reagan's approach to the Soviets since the INF agreement was concluded.

### Israeli Army bar reporters from entering occupied areas

By William B. Ries

JABALIA, occupied Gaza Strip. (UPI): A Palestinian driver threaded a white Peugeot through smoldering barricades blocking the descried streets towards an intersection where an Israeli soldier ordered the car to

The young soldier, gesturing with his automatic rifle, told the driver and four passengers to get out of the car and join several Arabs lined up on the sidewalk for an identity card cbeck. But the button-down shirts

and notebooks of the three men in the back seat made it obvious that they did not live in Gaza, they were Western journalists trying to get into the Jabalia refugee camp where young Palestinians and Army troops had clashed savagely a day earlier.

"What are you doing here? The area is closed," one member of the army patrol said in halting English. "Go hack to English. Jerusalem." More and more the Army has

prevented reporters from enter-ing the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip in the weeks since the virulent anti-Israeli protests first erupted Dec 9, according to reporters covering the unrest. Difficult

"In the past few days an increasing amount of territory is being restricted and it is becoming more and more difficult to do our jobs," said Robert Slater, chairman of the Foreign Press Association in Israel. We are increasingly distur-

bed to hear that the military authorities are moving to close off the occupied territories from our coverage, he said. Since Dec 9, at least 35 Palestinians have been killed and hun-

dreds wounded in clashes with

Israeli soldiers.

By Ron Scherer

Israel has detained nearly 2,000 Arabs and pourcd additional troops into the territories in an unsuccessful attempt to quell the rioting, which Palestinian leaders say has been fuelled by the spiraling death toll and 20 years of Israeli occupation.

Top Israeli leaders and the

NEW YORK: Last Christmas,

movie fans in Singapore bought pirated copies of "Top Gun," "Club Paradise," and "Crocodile Dundee" This Chr-

istmas, many of them watched "La Bamba." "Space Balls," and "Innerspace" — legally.

pirating of American movies.

books, and audio tapes, the

"four tigers" of Asia - Sin-

gapore, South Korea, Taiwan,

and Hong Kong - are yielding

to pressure from the United

States to honour and enforce

Japan, long a haven for

pirates, conducted 33 raids of

illicit businesses in the first six

months of the year. And other

Asian nations that still allow

pirates to flourish are under

increasing pressure to stop the

Advances

of dollars in extra sales of US

goods to countries that are run-

ning large trade surpluses with

publishers report that sales this

year are up 400 per cent in Taiwan and Singapore. Sales of

legitimate videotapes now make up 60 per cent of the Japanese

market — a substantial

improvement over past years.

Illegal audio cassettes have been

virtually cleared from the streets

of Singapore, where three years

ago such illegal purchases made

up 85 percent of the total market.

Already. American hook

This shift could mean millions

American copyrights.

practice.

After years of allowing the

Gagging journalists



military repeatedly have said they will not limit press access to troublespois. but they have charged reporters frequently give a one-sided picture of the unrest.

This reversal is welcome news

to the US business community,

which has complained about

pirating for years. "We are get-

ting encouraging news in res-

ponse to the complaints of US

business" says Charles Valen-

tine, a trade specialist with the

accounting firm of Arthur

government, which would like to

see intellectual property protec-

tion added to the trade rules

covered by the General

Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

advances in the copyright laws of

Asian nations, agrees Clayton

Yeutter, the US trade represen-

tative. But Yeutter adds: "it's an

open question on their effective-

The changes are taking place

even as Congress is tackling the

issue in the trade bill. In a

measure supported by both par-

ues, Congress proposes to let

industries such as film and com-

puter-software producers file

quick-action trade complaints.

The reason: films, records, and

computer programs have a short

shelf life. Trade actions have to

The International Intellectual

Property Alliance, made up of

seven US trade associations.

estimated its members lost \$1.3

billion in sales in 1985 because of

pirating. The US International

Trade Commission, an arm of

the Commerce Department, is

completing a survey of 426 com-

panies to determine losses to US

It is likely the report will find

be fast.

There have been some major

It is also good news for the US

"Many times there is a great deal of exaggeration in the impression you receive when you are abroad," said Avi Pazner, Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir's media adviser.

"American television gives you two minutes of what is going Tigers of Asia prey on movie, book pirates

on in Israel, when everything is pictures of stone-throwing and burning of tyres, you could certainly receive a mistaken impression." he said,

Shamir has admitted that officials considered putting the territories off limits, but the idea was dropped. In the past week, soldiers have

barred journalists, photographers and television crews from many areas of Gaza that have

that while losses are declining,

trade abuses are continuing. For

example. US publishers charge that book pirates in South Korea

used forthcoming changes in Korea's laws as a marketing tool.

They told buyers to purchase

illegal books before the text-

books went up in price or were

Risher, director of copyright and new technology at the Associa-

**Books** 

The publishers say they believe

the pirates unloaded half of the

two million books pirated

annually, costing US companies

printout representing 980,000 copies of US pirated books, lis-

ted by author and publisher with

the price in Korean won and how

many copies were available.

says Eric Smith, a Washington

lawyer who specialises in inter-

national copyright law. Other

Asian countries have picked up

the illegal trade when their neigh-

Piracy in South Korca has

been endemic. Valentine of

Arthur Young recalls that during

a visit to Seoul he saw merchants

who would sew "any designer

label you wanted" into clothing

or footwear. Fashion-conscious

shoppers could huy counterfeit

Cartier luggage, Rolex watches,

Still other Asian countries

have picked up the illegal trade

when their neighbours have stop-

ped. "Cleaning up Singapore has

led to problems in Indonesia."

complains Jason Berman,

and Pierre Cardin suits.

bours have stopped.

"We obtained a computer

S15 million to \$20 million.

tion of American Publishers.

been declared military zones. unrest, soldiers now have signed orders closing locations. Beaten Despite the closures, an Army

zone and off limits to the press. pher for Israel's biggest news-

Unlike the early days of the

spokesman said there has been no change in policy, adding it is up to commanders in the field to decide when an area is a military Amir Weinberg, a photogra-

executive director of the Record-

of Phonogram and Videogram

Producers in London estimates

80 per cent of the cassettes

bought in Thailand in 1986 were

pirated, up from 55 per cent in 84. The organisation estimates

piracy represents nearly the

entire market in Indonesia and

87 per cent of the Malaysian

Sophisticated

The pirates go to extremes to protect their turf. The local licen-

see in Thailand for Warner Bros.

received a bomb in the mail and

had to install X-ray equipment.

"There is a heavy level of serious

criminal involvement." says

Molly Kellogg, antipiracy direc-

local markets but export movies

as well. The usual route is

through the Middle East and to

Europe. "We've had recent US

releases end up in Ireland with Chinese subtitles," Ms Kellogg

says. As for audio tapes, Berman

says his office frequently finds

pirated tapes at US flea markets.

action films - often are of low

quality, since they are sometimes

shot right off the screen. But the

pirates are sophisticated mark-

eteers, often reshooting films

once they can get a better copy. "I think they've taken marketing courses at UCLA. Kellogg

In Taiwan, piracy has also

become more sophisticated. The

Taiwanese have set up about

1,000 "public performance cen-

complains.

Filched movies - usually

The pirates not only sell in the

tor at Warner Bros.

The international Federation

ing Industry Association.

paper, Yediot Ahronot, allegedly was beaten by soldiers. and he and his wife detained when they tried to follow armoured cars into Bani Suheila. where Bassam Khader Mussadlam, 20, was shot dead during demonstrations.

An Army spokesman later said Weinberg had acted wil-

Several reporters said they were not allowed through the Erez checkpoint, the main entrance to the 25-mile-(40 km) long coast strip, a move that effectively closed the entire Gaza Strip, which is surrounded by the Mediterranean and barbed wire. Israeli officials contended

some of the violence is encouraged by the presence of reporters. Occasionally, a few reporters on foot in a refugee camp will draw dozens of youths, who turn the event into a spontaneous demonstration.
During a television interview.

Pazner said an ABC cameraman was under investigation for allegedly paying children to set

ABC Tel Aviv bureau chief Bill Seamans has denied the charge, saying the network has strict rules against such bebaviour.

Reporters usually hire taxis with white Gaza licence plates to travel in the occupied territory because youths immediately burl stones at any vehicle with yellow Israeli plates.

When turned away from a military area, reporters frequently try to reach the sprawling refugee camps by back roads, and then on foot to get to demon-"The Gaza Strip is burning,"

said ABC cameraman Yossi Mula, who is accused of paying children to start fires. "We don't have to incite or burn. We don't have to do a thing. We film what's in the field." "People in Israel know there

are 'disorders', but this is far from being just 'disorders'," he told Israel Radio. There's no comparison between what is really bappening and what is known inside Israel.

plains William Nix, vice-

president of antipiracy at the

Motion Picture Association,

"and we are very much up in arms over that."

the association has begun an

antipiracy foundation that will

include local lawyers, inves-

tigators with police back-

grounds, and local distributors.

They will work with the Taiwan-

ese government to make sure the

Enforcement

businessmen are pleased to see

some progress, especially in

enforcement. In March, the

Philippine government raided

one major pirate, seizing 64,000

In Singapore, the government

is prosecuting six cases a month. This is especially significant for

the film business because 91 per

cent of the 600,000 TV-set

owners also have video recor-

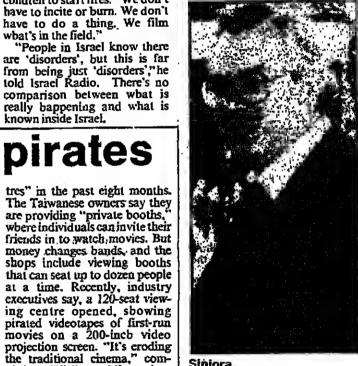
market in the world. From the

Despite these problems, US

local laws are enforced.

illicit tapes.

To try to counter the pirates,



In 1984, when Arafat and Jordan's King Hussein drew up a list of a dozen possible peace negotiators. Foreign Minister Shimon Peres, then I sraeli prime minister, rejected all except Siniora and Gaza lawyer Faez Al·u

Palesunian activists said Siniora lost much of his support in the territories, however, when he announced last June that he was considering running against Israel's Teddy Kollek for mayor

sovereignty over East Jerusalem. which Israel captured from Jordan in the 1967 Middle East war and annexed shortly afterwards.

moustache. Siniora was one of the first Palesunian nationalists to defy hardliners and openly declare moderate views toward the Jewish state.

state should exist alongside Israel in the West Bank and "Once we get the hugs ironed out," predicts Mr Smith, the Washington lawyer, Asia "could Gaza, not in its place. become the second-largest

disappeared mysteriously.

#### Senate majority at stake in November polls standpoint of intellectual property, it is very underdeveloped." The Christian Science Monitor.

By Robert Green

WASHINGTON, (Reuicr): The unexpected retirement of some prominent Democrats is giving the Republican Party hope that it can regain control of the US Senate in November's elections.

Senate Democrats, however, are adamant that they will still be in charge after the elections, which will choose President Reagan's successor and determine the political makeup of the Congress with which he must Democrats control the 100-

seat Senate 54 to 46 and the House of Representatives by 258 to 177. All 435 House seats are at stake in the elections along with 33 of the Senate posts. The party in control of each

chamber of Congress gets a majority on all committees. where much ol the reul work is done and decisions made. It also sets the schedule for bringing up

Chance

The Democrats seem certain to keep a majority in the House. which they have controlled since 1954, but Republicans believe they have a solid shot at regaining the Senate majority they lost in the 1986 mid-term ballot. "I think we have a terrific

chance of taking the Senate.' Republican campaign committee. "We've not some open scats we weren't expecting.

He was referring to retirements hy senior Democrats John Stennis of Mississippi. Lawton Chiles of Florida and William Proxmire of Wisconsin. All probably would have been reelected but Republicans now thinking they can win in those

But three Republicans also ginia and Washington. "We're sure the Senate is going

to stay Democratic," said Bob Chlopak of the Democratic Senate campaign committee.

He noted the Republicans would have to hold all their current seats, win the three where the Democratic senators are retiring and win another two seats from Democratic incumbenis to take over.

Republicans would need only a net gain of four if they win the presidential elections. The vicepresident, elected as part of the President's ticket, is allowed to cast votes in the Senate to hreak

fight could hinge on the presidential contest. tn 1980. Reagan's landstide triumph belped his party oust 12

incumbent Democrats to give ate for the first time in 26 years.

elections when the presidency was not at stake.

theirs and 15 are Republican. At least 10 of the Democratic

Chief Republican targets include New Jersey and New

sending financier Ivan Boesky and other Wall Street figures to jail, may run against Daniel Movnihan.

Republican seats in Nebraska, Nevada, Minnesnta, Rhode **Alming** 

Chlopak said the Democrats had recruited a number of good candidates, among them Minnesota Attorney General Hubert Humphrey III. son of the late vice-president and Schator.

Assistant House Democratic leader Tony Coleho said he expected little change in that heavily Democratic chamber since incumbents have been winning 90 per cent of their races in

seeking re-election, including four running for the Schate, but several others are expected to retire.

### used to make headlines OCCUPIED JERUSALEM.

(Reuter): Hanna - Siniora. detained on Thursday in an Israeli clampdown on Palestinian journalists, has made headlines before by urging a boycott of Israeli products and offering to become Jerusalem's first Arab mayor under Israeli Siniora, editor of the Al Fajr

daily newspaper, was arrested hours before he was due to hold a news conference calling for Palestinian civil disobedience to protest against 20 years of Israeli occupation in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip. He was freed several hours later This month he urged Palestin-

ians to boycott eigarettes and soft drinks in a drive he said could lead to a tax strike and a boycott of work in Israel by residents of the occupied areas. Gandhi started with salt. We are starting with cigarettes," Sin-

iora, 50, told reporters, compar-

ing his call to Mahatma Gandhi's

civil disobedience campaign that led to India achieving independence from Britain in 1947. Born in Jerusalem, Siniora studied pharmacy at Benares University in India after his expulsion from Lebanon in the

early 1960s for political activity. A Christian resident of East Jerusalem, who also runs a family pharmacy in the walled old city, Siniora was chosen by Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) leader Yasser Arafat as a prospective delegate to Arab-Israeli peace talks.



Rahme.

of occupied Jerusalem.
PLO supporters charged the move would legitimise Israel's

A tall, bespectacled man with a

He says a PLO-led Palestinian

Siniora, who meets Arafat when a broad, has headed Al Fajr and its companion English-language weekly since 1974 when its editor, his cousin Jack Nasser.

### TODAY IN HISTORY

said Tom Mason of the Senate deadlocks.

have said they will not run again and Democrats think they can take two of those seats, in Vir-

The outcome of the Senate

Republicans control of the Sen-The Republicans kept control in the even higger Reagan landslide of 1984, hut Democrats regained the majority in the 1980

The Democrats now are more vulnerable because, of the 33 seats at stake, 18 are currently

incumbents and six of the Republicans are expected to be re-elected without much trouble so the parties are concentrating on states where a switch is possi-

York, where US Attorney Rudolph Giuliani, well-known for prosecuting mob figures and Democrats are aiming at

Island. California and Connec-

recent elections. Only 10 of the 435 House members have said they are not

Johanna Schneider, an aide to House minority leader Bob Michel, said Republicans hoped to gain about 2tl sears but agreed that they could not win control of

1581 — Britain's Parliament takes stern measures against

1666 — France, allied with Holland, deciares war on England. 1761 - British takes Pondicberry after siege, making end of French dominion in India.

1646 - Courtrai, Belgium, falls to French Army.

1778 - France recognises US independence. 1864 - Austria and Russia send ultimatum to Denmark for repeal of constitution calling for incorporation of Schleswig. 206 — Algeriras conference on Morocco opens.

1925 - Leon Trotsky is dismissed from championship of Russia's revolutionary council. 1964 - Thirteen Arab nations, meeting in Cairo, agree to set up military command to strengthen Arah position on problems

related to Israel. 1966 - Major General Aguiyi Ironsi takes over power in Nigeria after announcing that an attempted coup had been

1969 — Soviet cosmonauts achieve first linkup of two manned spaceships while in orbit around earth.

1973 - United States and South Victnam declare ceasefire in Vietnam war in hopes of full peace pact. 1979 — Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlevi flees Iran after new civilian government is approved in Parliament.

1987 - Hu Yaobang resigns as head of China's Communist Party, accepting blame for policy mistakes stemming from student turmoil.

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### TV CORNER

### Pick of the Week

◆ The Long Hot Summer: Sunday's new best-seller primises to be an interesling feature about life in America. feature This story revolves around a rich and influential man wbo employs a stranger.

 Spitting Image, Fridays at 7.30 pm: despite being an outdated earlier series, it makes interesting viewing, poking fun at the way things are today --- from politics to

Airwolf II (Fridays, at 6.30 pm) carries on from the first series after Dominic Santini is

killed and Stringfellow Hawke is critically wounded. The new team features St Juhn Hawke, Stringfellow's hrother who inherits Airwolf's legacy and power; Jo Santini, Dominic's niece, and Major Mike Rivers, a pilot and a quick-witted rebel who knows how to make the system work. Strange Power (Wednesdays, 9.30 pm) a 30minute series about the para-normal phenomenon, focussing on unexplained events. In this week's episode, ESP, extra sensory

### KTV I weekly highlights

SUNDAY 4.25 Nooruddin Zanki: new historical serial, featuring Laila Taher, Ali Hassan, Sheza Salem. Laila Fawzi, Imaan

Toqi. 5.30 Al Manahal: a 30-minute educational show for children, with Amal Dabbas, Taysees Attiya, Rabe'e Shihab. Tayseer

10.50 "Televisia" is tonight's late : . . . riety show, prese led by Fawzia Abbasi.

MONDAY

3.30 Al Bahas Al Mofli: new cartoon serial. 5.30 Mama Anisa and Children: a weekly show for young viewers.

Quran and Science: part 6, prepared and presented by Dr Abmad Shawki Ibrahim. 10.50 Daerat Al Ahdath (Circle of Events):

TUESDAY 6.00 Fi Khidmat Al Jumbour: a local programme on

health care. 7:35 Al Quds: 20 years On: part three of programme on Jerusalem - it traces the developments from 1967 to the

present times.

Compared to the base of the Kuwait. Pages from the History of Kuwait. Photographia: new 15part daily serial; 50 min-

utes, Abdullah Ghaith, Madiha Hamdi, Jami Ratch, Mohammad Rida and Fifiyan star in this serial about a man who is framed by his friend. After heing released from prisoo. the man plans to take. revenge.

WEDNESDAY 5.15 Bain Al Ams Wa Al Youm: Between Yesterday and Today, is a new local programme for children dealing with progress in various fields. Children between the ages of 11 and 14

present the show. 10.50 Ayyam Aatibal: last episode of this variety show featuring Samir Ghanim, Shirin, Imad

WHAT'S ON

Auditions for KLT's spring production The Crucible will

be held today at 6 pm (Jan 16). There are several excellent

roles. Anyone who is interested

KLT-Comedy
The next production at KLT

is a comedy Say Who You Are,

directed by Steve Prescott. The

gala performance is at 7 pm on Feb 1...Repeat performances

are at 7.30 pm on Feb 2, 3, and

4. Tickets — KD3. For reserva-

tions call 3947651. Tickets

must be collected from the Box

Office two days before the per-

Soft Targets, a feature film

made with all the style and mas-

tery of spy thrillers, will be shown tonight at 6.30 pm at the British Council. The film offers

formance date.

FILMS

contact Tel: 3904025.

THEATRE

**KLT-Auditions** 



**Walld Tawfig** 

Abdul Halim, Walid Tawliq, Marwan Tawfiq, Adham, Marylyi Tabar, Dalida Rahma. Marylyn 12.00 The Equaliser: featuring Edward Woodward.

THURSDAY

10.00 am Fi Rihab Tarbiya: An educational programme presented by Jassim Ghareib on education at public schools, teaching methods, sports, arts and music,

12.00 noon Ma Da'a An Anhama Min Akhbar Jahan: weekly serial starring Sheza Salem, Khalil Al Rifai, Mohammad Hussein ..... Abdul Rahim, Sana Abdul Rahman, Achis-Sit une torical sensivimade by

television." 4.15 The Persuaders: featuring Roger Moore. 5.25 Maktabah Ala'a and

Hana: part 3 of children's serial, starring Asbraf Abdul Ghafoor. 10.30 Addaiya: Arabic feature film.

FRIDAY 10.20 Hikayat Min Al Alam: Stories from the World

11,00 Lecture on Islam by Dr Ahmad Abu Al Nur. 04.00 Falah Fauq Al Shajrah: Arabic play, featuring Ahmad Bader, Mimi Jamal and Hassan Mus-

11.00 Qulub Eind Al Ma'arafi: part 3 featuring Ahmad Al Saleh, Maryam Al Saleh, Huda Hussein. Ibrahim Al Hahri. A play about the family and its role in two Gulf societies - Kuwait and Bahrain.

Spitting image pokes fun at world leaders, Fridays at 7.30 pm.

### This week on KTV 2

SUNDAY

6.00 Holy Quran
6.10 Lone Ranger: cartoons
6.30 Butterfly Island: "There is a Tide." A sheep, in an office block, wrecks

havoc. 7.00 Understanding Islam: a weekly local show on

Islam. 7.30 The Wacky World of Sports: a light hearted look at sporting events.
8.00 News in English
8.40 Hot Shots: Blue Birds

lnn" Amanda Reed (Dorothy Parke) and Jason West (Booth Savage) investigate the death of a rich woman. 9.30 Foley Square: "Personals." Alex places an adin

the personal columns of a newspaper. Comedy. 10.00 Q.E.D.: "Mark, His Sister and the Scientists." Scientists study hereditary traits and its . relationship with dis-

10.30 Best-Seller: "The Long Hot Summer." A stranger comes to town and is employed by a wealthy.

person. 12.00 NewsSummary/Magazine D'Actualite/Close-

MONDAY

6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Yogis Treasure Hunt: cartoons

6.30 The Animal Express: a look at baboons. 7.00 Roving Report: weekly roundup of world news,

presented by KTV. 7.30 Chintz: Kate Carter goes shopping in a supermarket. 8.00 News in English

... S.10 The Law and Harry MacGraw: "Rappaport is Back in Town. woman is murdered in unknown circumstan-9.30 Horizon: docu-

mentary. "The Mogma Chamber." How natural phenomenon occur,

10.30 Mini-Series: "A Year in the Life." Gardner gets back into the routine contemplates and remarriage.

12.00 NewsSummary/Magazine D'Actualite/Closedown

TUESDAY 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Rainbow Bright: Car-

6.30 Side Kicks: "The Cousin Who Fell To Earth." Arnie's cousin comes to the US and wants to join the police force. 7.00 Beyond 2000: a look at

the latest advances io science and technology. Tonight, paraebutiog, turtle farming, chess

THURSDAY

3.00 Holy Quran

Sports

League

Studio:

American haskethall

Club: friendship is the theme of this week's

Mom." Millionaire Nick Foley (Joseph

Bologna) adopted daughter, Patty, goes to

live with her real

Max Headroom:
"Academy." A small
TV network is accused

of disrupting services.

den Anniversary." The

children plan a surprise

party for Mum and Dad

on their marriage

Jon Voight, Maxmillian Schell, Maary Tamm.

Frederick Forsyth's

novel about an earnest

German journalist who

stumbles upon the

whereabouts of a Nazi

war criminal and risks

his life to get him.

Moderately successful

in transition to screen.

Duration: 128 minutes.

zine D'Actualite/Close-

12.00 News Summary/Maga-

3.10 Sports Studio: roundup

of world and local sport

FRIDAY

3.00 Holy Quran

9.30 Bill Cosby Show: "Gol-

anniversary.

Show

10.00 Paul Daniels Magic

10.30 Late Night Movie: "Odessa File." Starring

and sports magazine

6.00 Centurious: "Battle Ben

6.30 The Mickey Mons

7.00 Rags to Riches: "Patty's

eath the Sea."

episode.

mother.

8.40 Max

8.00 News in English

Soccer

and computer. 8.00 News in English 8.40 You and the Law: a local

programme Heart of the City: "Of Dogs and Car Burglars." A series of hurglaries take place in the neighhourhood; the police investigate.

9.40 Tracy Ulman Show: Comedy. 10.10 Cine Club: in be announ-

œd. 12.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Close-

WEDNESDAY 6.00 Holy Quran

6.10 The Get Along Gang: cartoons

Micro at Work: "Sorting Things Out," Part 2. A look at computerised mail sorting systems. 6.50 The Living Isles: "Ben-eath the Greenwood."

The evolution of forests after the ice age, 7.30 Growing Pains: "Fast Times at Dewey High." Matt finds a new girl-

8.00 News in English 8.40 Buck James: Dennis Weaver plays the title role of Buck, who operates best in life-ordeath situations.

friend.

9.30 The World of Strange Power: "From Mind to Mind." ESP — extra sensory power -- is tonight's subject in this series that deals with paranormal . phenomenon.

10.00 Perfect Strangers: "The Rent Strike." Larry and Balki force the landlord to see their point of view. 10.30 Falcon Crest: "Bodyand

Soul." Maggie looks for her son, Kevin. 12.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Closed-



Heart of the City, on Tuesday

9.30 Weekend: local programme 10.00 What A 'California Drcam.

The students are asked to discuss a dream they would like fulfilled. 10.30 Crime Story: "The Bat-

tle of Las Vegas." Lucas dominates the night club husiness in Las 11.30 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/Close-

At the Remede Al Salam

Daily lunch, chef's special

and dinner huffet at Coffee

Shop; from Sunday to Friday,

steak and seafood specialities

featured for dinner at El Mer-

ssa Restaurant, open from 7 pm

to 1.30 am. Family hrunch oo

Fridays from 12 noon to 3 pm

Highlights will be; magician

painting competition, games and ship's discovery tour.

### KTV 1

**TELEVISION PROGRAMMES** 

2.15 Holy Quran 2.30 World Today via

Satellite 3.30 Bahas Al Mnfli: car-100n serial

4.00 News Summary 4.05 Magazine D'Ac-

4.25 Nuruddin Zanki: historical serial. Starring Laila Taher, Ali Hassan, Sheza Salem, Laila Fawzi,

lman Toqi. 5.45 Open University 6.50 News Summary

6.55 Noor Al Islam: "The Rights of Man. Presented by Ahmad Abdul Oadir. Guests are Dr Ismael Ibrahim Badawi, Dr Mustafa Mobam-

mad Arjawi. 7.25 Nazrat Alai Alam: 'Quebec". Documentary

7.45 Security and Citizens 8.15 Good Evening and Local News 9.00 News in Arabic

10.05 Al Anzar: daily serial 10.50 Dafatar Al Avam: a talk show featuring Arab Poets and Writers.

12.00 News Summary 12.05 World News via Satellite

12.45 Holy Quran/Closed-



Bruce Willis and Cybil Shepherd in Moonlighting, at 8.40 pm on KTV 2.

#### KTV 2

6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Thundercats: car-

100ns for children. Moon Jumper: "Good News and Bad". Nicole's friend is charged with disturning peace in the neighbourhood.

7.00 Lorne Greene's New Wilderness: "Catch A Falling Stork." A look at birds in Hun-

7.30 Married with Children: "Bul I Didn'i Shoot Deputy." Al huys a gun to protect himself from thieves in the neighbour-

Starring: pherd.

potamia. 10.30 Made-for-TV Movie: "Harris" The story

efforts to main family harmony. 11.30 News Summary/ Magazine D'Ac-lualite/Closedown.

Please note that programmes and timings are liable to change without notice.

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30 Meridian
2100 News Summary followed by
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15 A Mozan Miscellany
30 People and Politics

2200 Warld News 09 From Our Own Correspon

deni 30 New Ideas 40 Reflections

45 Sports Roundup 2300 World News

30 Anything Goes

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### **RADIO PROGRAMMES**

### English

MORNING

10.05 Songs and music 10.30 The years of pops

**EVENING** 

21.00 Opening 21.02 Kuwaii onr homeland 21.20 Songs and music 21.30 NEWS

ing events.

6.00 She Ra — Princess of Power: "The Prisoners of Beast Island. Airwolf: "Black Jack." The Airwolf team is captured by gangsters in the

Far East 7.30 Spitting Image 8.00 News in English

8.40 Breaking Away 9.05 Matlock: "The Seduction." Matlock defends a foothall player, accused of killing his

Country:

21.45 Point of view 21.55 Songs and music 22.00 Kuwait in a week 22.15 Rock on

Services

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0400 Newsdesk
30 Here's Humph!
45 Reflections
50 Financial News

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08.00-08.30 Easy listening 08.30-08.40 NEWS 08.40-10.00 Easy listening 10.00-13.00 Songs and music 13.00-13.30 Easy listening 13.30-13.40 NEWS 13.40-14.00 Easy listening

16.00-17.00 Easy listening 17.00-18.00 Spanish hour 18.00-21.80 Pops 21.30-21.45 NEWS

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Binaat Haaratna (Arabic)

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### **CINEMA TODAY**

Al Andalus Starring: Adel Imam, Athar Al Hakim

Starring: Timothy Dalton

Al Hamra Big Trouble in Little China

Al Firdous Mamta (Hindi) Fabaheel Open-Air

Fajr Zubr Maghreb

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### 8.40 Moonlighting: "Take A Left at the Alter." Dave looks for a man who did not turn up for his own wedding.

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of a farmer and bis

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Network UK

09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary 30 From the Weeklies

9900 World News
99 Reflections
15 A Jolly Good Show
9900 World News
99 British Press Review
15 The World Today
30 Financial News followed by
Sports Roundup Financial
Special
45 Personal Views

Special
45 Personal View
1000 News Summary followed by
Here's Humph.
15 Letterfrom America
30 People and Politics
11.100, Woods News 11.11
15 The A-Z of Hollywood
30 Meridian
1200 Radio Newsreel
15 Multitrack 3
45 Sports Roundup

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bood.

8.00 News in English

08.00 Opening 08.02 Songs and Music 08.30 NEWS 08.40 Songs and music 08.45 Daily programme 09.00 Cultural horizon 09.30 Reggae rock 10.00 Our Press Today 10.05 Songs and music

13.30 NEWS on the F.M. service.

22.45 Daily programme 23.00 Strictly romantic 23.30 Amazing facts 24.00 Closedown

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13.40-14.00 Easy listening 14.00-16.00 Classical musi

21.45-22.00 Pops 22.00-23.00 The Indian Classical

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### Al Nimr Wal Unsa (Arabic) Al Salmiya The Living Daylight

Starring: Kurt Russell, Kim Drive-In Al Nimr Wal Unsa (Arabic) Starring: Adel Imam, Athar Al Hakim

Starring: Dharmendra, Suchitra Sen Sbarabi (Hindi) Starring: Amitabh Bach-chan, Jaya Prada

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Japan Week Jan 21: Kite flying competition, from 9 am to 1 pm, at the

many pertinent and highly amusing insights to the East-West relationship. 90 minutes duration. Admission free hut reservations must be made. Tel: 2515512 SOCIAL

The following events will be held at the Hilton Hotel. Jan 22: children's exhibition, also featuring award winning art works by Kuwaiti children, on loan from the 1987 International Art Exhibition held in Yokohama. Open from 4 to 9 pm on Jan 22. From Jan 23 to 25, open from 9 am to 1 pm and 4 to 9 pm. Jan 23: seminar on Japaoese education; 9 am to 1 pm; Ikebana School --- I l am to pm; piano concert hy Cairobased pianist Junko Nak-ayama. Jan 24, Ikebana School, Il am to I pm; martial arts and tea ceremony.

Seven films will be shown during the Week in the Hilton's Terrace room. All films are in Japanese with Arabic subtitles. Jan 22, 4 pm, Snow Fairy, 7 pm, the Makioka sisters. Jan 23, 4 pm, The Dragon Boy, 7 pm, Sanjuri, directed by Kurosawa. Jan 24, 4 pm, The Yamashita Story (judo story); 7 pm The Longest Tunnel. Jan 25: Tora San's Forhidden Love, a

comedy, 7 pm. A seminar on Japanese business will be held on Feh 3 at the Kuwait Chamber of Commerce and Building from 8.30 am to 5.30 pm. A token admission fee will be charged for some events. For

further details, and confirma-tion of schedule, contact Tel: 2518155/2518440 nr the Japanese Society - 2533000 ext Winter Serenade The Kuwait Players Winter

Serenade will be an evening to

remember - haute cuisine,

music, sparkling and show stoppers, nostalgic ballards, moody blues and celebrated classics performed by Ross, Jenny, Lynley, Reem, Rosie Carol. Directed by Peter Godfrey, Ros Langhorne and Glenis Muckle. It will be held in the Grand Ballroom, Meridien Hotel, on Feh 1, 2, and 3. Feh 4 Gala Dinner and show at 7.30 pm. For details ring 2656265; 5334695 or 5730641. **Ladies Tea Party** A saree fasbioo sbow will be

Tea Party on Jan 20 (Wednesday) from 4.30 pm at the Kuwait Plaza Hotel. For details phone 5317390, **Kuwait Caledonians** Kuwait Caledonians will hold Burns Night at 7.30 pm on Jan 28 at Messilah Beach Hotel. Guest speaker will be Boh Crempsey, For details phone 5610673.

held at the International Ladies

Nealam Ghar Neelam Ghar, a quiz show, will be held on Jan 22 at Carlton Tower Hotel. Admission hy invitation only. For details phone Zulfiqar or Anees — 48 | 4733; 2427388; 2445324 or Haroon Sa yeed — 5659336. Sargam Music Show Sargam, a local group, will bold a music show at Messilah

Beach Hntet at 6.30 pm on Feb 3. A selection of popular Urdu, Hindi, Punjahi and English

songs will be presented. Enter-

tainment also includes fire

dance, lava dance and a magic

show. For details phone

3260455, 7 am to 3 pm.

Rehearsals for the May concert will begin on Monday, Jan 18, 7.30 pm in the Sunshine School, Salwa, and will be held every Saturday and Monday. New members welcome, Tel: 5331413. Konkani Drama The New G.O.A. presents Freddy J. D'Costa's play Utt Goymkara on Jan 17 (3 pm).

**Kuwait Singers** 

in Finaitees. Transport available from city. For reservations contact the Raja Stores. **Piano Concert** German pianist Wolfran Lorenzen will give a recital oo Jan 19 (8 pm) in the Grand Ballroom of the Kuwait Hilion. He will play works by Ravel, Schumann, Listz and

At Messilah Beach Al Mubarakiah features lunch and dinner, open 24 bours, children under 10 years free if accompanied by adults; offer limited to four. Suoday's is ladies day with 50 per cent discount for them. At the SAS

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attractions. Dinner, live music

and raffle prizes.

Chopin. For further details

contact the hotel.

**HOTELS** 

The troupe from Goa, includ-At the Hilton ing Jacinto Vaz, will perform at Speciality menu featured in the New Indian Arts Circle hall Failaka, open for lunch and dinner; graziog meou also available in additioo to des

> At the Continental Gardenia offers food and beverage service on the Terrace. Daily dinner buffet and on Fridays, luoch buffet charcoal grilled specialities. Darbar features daily lunch buifei aod 'a la carte' for dinner. At the Sheraton

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Room offers a la carte. Trabou-

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Sunday in Al Hambra Night Cluh. Music hy the World Machine band. The Riccardo features a selection of Italian cuisine with music by the Moonlight Duo. At the Maridien Versailles is open daily for lunch and dinner, featuring

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cootinental cuisine, a selection of meats and seafood, charcoal grilled specialities. Al Fingan offers refreshments in an authentic oriental atmosphere. 4837271/81 Despite setbacks, she's still determined to be in the mainstream

### Kim Wilde keeps hanging on

By Mike Hrano

MENTION the name Kim Wilde and it's sex rather than music that springs to most people's mind.

Certainly, she can sing — but it's her hlonde hair and good looks that are instantly memorable, not her songs.

Now 26, the girl so often called the 'Bardot of pop' has learned to come to terms with such thinking.

For the nearest thing Britain has to Madonna is content to let others see her as they will. because she knows different.

Six years in the music husiness have taught her to make the most of her assets on her own terms. Blonde she may be, hut dumh she is not. 'I'm a rounded sort of per-

son with hig lips, so dyeing my hair blonde was a disaster as far as people taking me seriously was concerned - or even just recognising me as an intelligent being." Kim says, recalling her teenage decision to follow in the footsteps of such famous peroxides as Marilyn Monroe and — more recently — Dehbie Harry of Blondie.

"People in general bave preconceived ideas, not just ahout women with hlonde hair, who have large lips, look pretty and are famous - hut about race, religion, vegetarians;

everything.
"So I decided, not consciously, to put myself into an ohvious bag just so that it was somewhere I could develop from. It's a kind of shield, a camouflage to sell.

"I know sex sells and I know blonde hair sells — so you known that you're on to a winner. In a way, it was quite cal-culated, but I also think it suits

More to the point, it helps Kim Wilde shift records and has done - bar one or two slack periods - ever since she first turned up in the British charts with ber debut hit single. Kids in America, at the beginning of 1981.

She will be the first to admit that the story of her progress through the music industry has been patchy hut while others



Kim Wilde: hloude she may be, dumb she is not

allowed similar career peaks and troughs to heat them. Wilde has soldiered on.

But she has always maintained enough support to continue — so it was perhaps quite fitting that the song which last year won her worldwide popularity should be called You Keep Me Hangin' On. An energetic version of the old Supremes' classic hit from the '60s, the record not only revived her appeal at home hut huilt on it abroad, culminating in the pinnacle of her musical achievements so far; an

American number one. It was the second time in her career that Wilde had made a comeback. After her initial success has steadily dwindled, she employed a style agency — to the tune of around \$5,000 a week - to come up with a new image for her towards the end of 1984.

The resulting re-vamp, a cross between the look of Wonderwoman and an astronaut, could only push the accompanying single to number 29 in Britain and a follow-up — The Touch — failed to make the

You can't always be number one, and it didn't worry me if I was never a success again.

tead of walling in self-doubt.

"Although British audiences didn't really know me during those difficult times. I had a strong following in Europe which kept me going. Now, at last, I've grown up.

"I know what I want my image to be. I know how I want to sound - and nobody can dictate to me any more. Things are more on my terms now than they've ever been."

Wilde lives alone in a North London flat, hut still keeps in constant touch with her family. She has little option; her mother Joyce - a former Vernons girl - manages her, father Marty writes songs with her, and brother Ricky produces her records.

She is happy, however, to have finally shaken off the belief that she was little more than a pop puppet, shaped and manipulated by her father. And there is no longer any great mileage in the fact that dad was a '60s pop star — his hits included Ruhber Ball and A Teenager In Love.

Kim Wilde, after all, is a pop star herself. "I didn't think for a minute that all this was going to happen," she says. "Success is nice, hut I'm more concerned about the reasons why I came into this business in the first

"There are so many distrac tions in success, in money, hut as long as I don't lose sight of the fact that I'm here only because I want to sing, because I love performing, then I'll be

Underlying such single-mindedness, however, is a basic insecurity which most pop stars would never dare admit to.
"It's not hy luck that I am still here six years after my first hit," she explains. "I have worked really hard and so has everyone around me — but success is a

strange thing.
"Part of me believes my success is going to be a long-term thing — and then there's another side that's sceptical about it lasting beyond the day after tomorrow



Pepsi (right) and Shirlie: fragments of the Wham explosion.

### High-orbit girls

By Stuart Wavell

THE pop duo Pepsi and Shirlie, fragments of the exploded group Wham!, are saving them-selves. Kinetic energy, two hit singles, and a recent alhum have carried them on a trajectory they charted long before Andrew Ridgeley shrank from sight behind George Michael's supernova. But two years is a long time in high orbit and hurn-out nags their dreams of fame and riches.

"We are saving ourselves until we play a real-life gig," said Shirlie Holliman, aged 25. "You can ruin yourself. You can do a lot of PAs (personal appearances) and get paid a lot of money. We have refused to do anything like that. People say 'We don't want to see them because we saw them in a night-

As a result the two former hacking singers, neither of whom yet owns a house, have been nursing their resources. "People think we must he millionaires. If only they knew," sighed Shirlie.

They paid half the cost of a video they had just shot amid much smoke, leaving them redeyed yesterday. During the last one they called a doctor. At least they wore plastic dresses, a relief after rubber. Very bot, rubber dresses, said Shirlie.

Pioneers of the puff-ball dress, they found their creations copied by the big stores, so now they market their own They agonise whether the tail is wagging the dog. Pepsi. a Londoner whose

parents came from St Lucia. self-confessed screamer" who outgrew her group in Harrow. Shirlie was a singing riding instructor who leapt at the chance of appearing on selevision with Michael and Ridgeley, acquaintances of long standing. Their own first hit single, Heartache, reached Number 2. Shortly they release All Right Now, the title track of their alhum.

Two years ago they accompanied Wham! to China. There's not very much to say ahout China," pronounced Pepsi de Macque, aged 28. This was not true. "I personally don't want to go back," she went on. "It was a heavy experience. The young are dying to cut loose."

Shirlie: "They are experiencing the want and they are not allowed to have it."

Pepsi: "In our shows we saw people being carried out of the stadium for standing up and clapping. I don't think the tour was a good idea. I felt I had left those people in limbo.

They worry ahout Hong Kong. About having allowed themselves to be persuaded to wear fur coats in a picture spread. And about the fact that no one takes them seriously "We bave a lot to say," said Pepsi. "But the impression is given that we're dumh, silly and don't know what to do with our success.

This month they are doing a charity concert in Jordan at the bebest of Princess Basma, King Hussein's sister. "Where's Jordan?" asked Shirlie.

### Belinda captures UK spot

### Harrison tops US charts

NEW YORK, (AP): George Harrison's hit Gnt My Mind Set On You so red to the top of the single pop records charts in the United States Wednesday. dumping George Micbael's Faith from the number one

Michael Jackson's The Way You Make Me Feel catapulted from seventh to second position on the Cash Box magazine chart after a Christmas-New Year recess, and Need You Tonight by lnx vaulted from tenth to third place.

The week's newcomers to the list included Hazy Shade Of Winter by The Bangles, grab-hing 7th position, from 14th; Elton John's Cardle in the Wind moving into 9th place from 17th; and Tell it to My Heart hy Kylor Deayne, advancing one spot to number 10.

The Cash Box magazine Country-and-Western singles, chart remained unchanged. Highway 101 was number one with Somewhere Tonight. Kenny Rogers was second with 1 Prefer the Moonlight, and Hank Williams Jr third with Heaven Can't Be Found.

The ten top pop singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with previous positions in brack-1. (3) Got My Mind Set On

You - George Harrison (Dark Horse-Warner Brothers). 2. (7) The Way You Make Me Feel — Michael Jackson (Epic). 3. (10) Need You Tonight—

Inxs (Atlantic). 4. (4) So Emotional - Whitney Houston (Arista).

5. (1) Faith - George Michael (Columbia). 6. (2) Is This Love - Whites-

nake (Geffen). 7.(14) Hazy Shade Of Winter The Bangles (Columbia).
 (12) Candle In The Wind

9. (17) Could've Been - Tiffany (MCA) 10. (11) Tell It To My Heart - Kylor Deayne (Arista). Country-Western

- Elton John (MCA).

The ten top Country-Western singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with previous positions in brackets (unchanged from previous listings): 1. (1) Somewhere Tonight -

Highway 101 (Warner Broth-2. (2) I Prefer The Moonlight

- Kenny Rogers (RCA). 3. (3) Heaven Can't Be Found - Hank Wilhams Jr (Warner Brothers-Curb). 4. (4) I Can't Get Close

Enough — Exile (Epic).
5. (5) Do Ya' — K.T. Oslin (RCA).

6. (6) One Friend - Dan Seals (Capitol) 7. (7) 1'll Pin A Note on Your

Pillow - Billy Joe Royal (Atlantic America) 8. (8) She Couldn't Love Me Anymore - T. Graham Brown (Capitol).

9. (9) Goin' gone — Kathy Mattea (Mercury-Polygram). 10. (101 Where Do The Nights Go — Ronnie Milsap (RČA).

**British charts** Belinda Carlisle captured the number one spot in the British

pop singles record charts with Heaven Is A Place on Earth. The hit by the American new wave singer jumped two places to evict the Pet Shop Boys,

whose single Always On My Mind settled into second place. In third place was House Arrest hy Krush, up from eighth position a week ago, followed by 1 Found Someone by Cher, up from 18th to 4th; and Stutter Rap by Morris Minor and the Majors, at number five, up from 19th.

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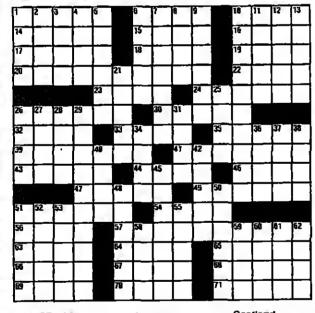
(1) Always On My Mind-Pet Shop Boys (Parlophone). 3. (8) House Arrest — Krush 4. (18) I Found Someone -

Cher (Geffen). 5. (19) Stutter Rap - Morris Minor and the Majors (10). 6. (7) Angel Eyes — Wet Wet Wet (Precious).

7. (34) All Day And All Of The Night — Stranglers (Epic). 8. (10) Jingo — Jellybean 9. (31) Sign Your Name

Terence Trent D'Arby (CBS). 10. (6) The Way You Make Me Feel — Michael Jackson

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**GOREN BRIDGE** 

Wilde quickly realised that

her carefully contrived appearance had been a mis-

take. "My record company saw

me as strong, feminine and

courageous, 'she recalls, 'And

I wanted to go out and whack

people between the eyes with

quickly it became pretentious

and horing. I hated having to

maintain my image throughout

Europe. In the end, I grew to

reading stuff about me being

finished and about failed

comebacks - and it really

upset me. At the same time I

knew that what I was working

on was very good and I had

Wilde admits that despite

these sethacks she had never

considered giving up her career,

"Everyone who makes records

wonders if they'll ever make it

to the top - or even back into

the mainstream - at one time

'Then I suddenly started

"Itstarted off as fun, but very

sheer entertainment.

hate the whole concept.

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE OUIZ Q.1-As South, vulnerable, you good suit. Jump to three hearts.

hold: **♠Q7** ♥AK103 ♦A9 ♣AQ876 The bidding has proceeded: South West North East 1 🛊 Pass Pass 3 💠 Pass

What do you bid now? A .- If you have an understanding with partner that a cue-bid of three spades would ask for a stopper in the suit, which makes a great deal of sense, that would clearly be the action we would take. Failing that, we would make the value bid of five diamonds. At worst, that should be

Q.2-As South, vulnerable, you 7A83 ; AO62 **★KO106** ∳J5 Your right-hand opponent opens the bidding with one diamond. What action do you take? A .- It is unfriendly of the opponents to open in your best suit when you have such a good hand. Despite

on a finesse.

the fact that your spade stopper could be hetter, we suggest you describe your hig, halanced hand hy overcalling one no trump. The only alternative is to pass.

Q.3—Both vulnerable, as South you 7 KQJ963 854 **♠ K85** The bidding has proceeded: Nnrth East West South 1 4 1 ♠ 2 💠

What do you bid now? A .- Certainly you want to invite game, and it is a judgment call whether you should do so in hearts or spades. We have found that it is better to have the weaker hand's suit as trumps, especially when it is a Q.4-Neither vulnerable, as South you hold: ₱10762 7KQ63 7Q4 ₱Q83 The bidding has proceeded: East South West Pass Pass 1 🛊 2 🛊

Pass What do you bid now? A .- Partner's game try in diamonds asks you to evaluate your holding only in that suit for game purposes. You are amhivalent about doubleton queen, and you can convey that while highlighting the

salient feature of your hand hy hidding three hearts. O.5-Both vulnerable, as South you hold:

**★762** 7.952 ≯K1062 +K83 The hidding has proceeded: South West North East Pass 1 0 Pass Pass What do you hid now?

A .- There is a tide in the affairs of men which, taken at the flood, leads to huge penalties for bidding too much. Your hand was worth just one bid, and you made it. Pass.

Q.6—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold: ♠A10 "K98 - AQ83 ♣J985 The hidding has proceeded: North East South

West Pass 2 🛨 Pass What do you bid now?

A. -Three cluhs might seem ohvious, but we prefer two no trump for two reasons. First, your most probable game is in no trump. Secondly, you have tenaces to protect from a lead through, so it would be better for your hand to declare no trump.

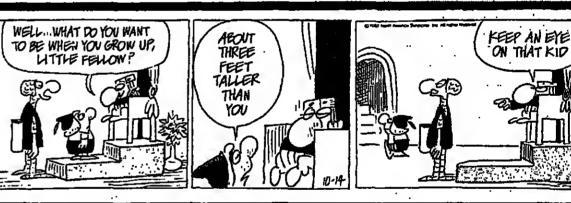
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THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart





By Johnny Hart A GUY THAT MOONS THROUGH PORTHOLES

YOUR STARS



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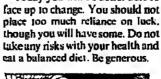
The Moon's better influence will help you to du what you had made up your mind to do. You should not attempt to do. You will get on better with those around you.



Gemini (May 20 - June 20) You should stay calm even in rather exerting circumstances. Do not allow your likes and dishkes to cloud your judgement. Make sure others understand what you have in mind. Be logical.



Cancer (June 21 - July 21) Today you will be better able to



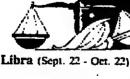
Leo (July 22 - Aug. 211

You have no time to waste and you must try to conserve your energies ton. You will be able to deal with an important matter. You should try not tu allow yourself tu be intimidated. Be frugal.



You will feet more favourably inclined towards others. You will also find it easier to do the right

thing in the encumstances.

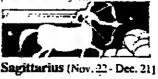


You will be able to see things

more clearly than of late. You should try to think the best of others, not the worst.



You will be able to make better progress than you first thought possible. Others will be more inclined to see things from your point of view. Listen to what others are saying, but do not yet commit yourself. Be objective.



You will tend to be a little on the nervous side and will tire rather easily. Try to keep things simple and concentrate on essentials. Make sure you get all the rest you need. Be truthful.



Capricorn (Dec. 22 - Jan 19) Yoo will have a good opportunity to deal with an outstanding matter. Your personal situation will take a turn for the better. Do not



Aquarius (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18) You will have to pay more attended to the tion to your financial affairs. Do not allow expenditure to get out of hand. If you try to behave like someone you are not you will lend to lose sight of who you are.



Pisces (Feb. 19 - March 19) 🗅 🚊 The Moon's better influence coupled with that of Venus with help 3 to the coupled with that of Venus with help 3 to 100 t you lo do what you had intended to do. However you must also work 10 hard. Avoid any kind of extremes a or exaggerations. Re ressonable.

ANKARA, Jan 15, (Reuter). Turkey and Irao sigoed ao interim protocol yesterday for the construction of an oil pipeline between the two couotries, Foreign Ministry officials

The line to carry oil from Iran's Abvaz field to the Turkisb Mediterranean port of Dortvol would give Tehran an outlet safe from Iraqi attack io the Gulf.

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Iraq also has an export pipeline through Turkey with a capacity of 1.5 million barrels per day (bpd) which terminates oo the Mediterranean oear Dortyol.

The interim protocol between Tehran and Ankara was signed after talks hy an Iraniao technical delegation here with Turkish officials.

The 1,860 km (1,160 miles) \$4 billion line would carry one million barrels per day (bpd) of Iraniao oil and take up to three years to huild.

The Iranian bead of delega-tion, Mohammad Javad Asemipur, said the protocol would provide a basis for further talks in Tehran. It provided the outline for the final agreement, expected to be signed during a visit by Prime Minister Turgut Ozal to Iran, be added,

Those who see the pipeline project as a short-term one and due to the ongoing war (with Iraq) are mistakeo. Despite all the difficulties, we are able to export our oil. We have other means for an outlet which we don't use now and keep them for the worst days" Asemipur said."

### Lawson may increase interest rates

LONDON, Jan 15, (AP): Chancellor of the Exchequer Nigel Lawson made it clear on Wednesday night that be is prepared to raise interest rates if necessary to combat inflation.

He turned down appeals by the Longederation of British Industry, Iocul the cost of borrowing.
Both Lawson and Robin port prices, they said.
Leigh-Pemberton governments.

Leigh-Pemberton, governor of the Bank of England, stressed the oced to avoid inflation, which the Chancellor said "is at the very heart of government policy and ought to be."

British interest rates were cut hy 1-1/2 per cent to 8-1/2 per cent in the wake of the stock market crash in October, to bolster confidence and head off the prospect of recession.

Lawson, chairing the quar-urly meeting of the National Economic Development Council, said be believed fears of recessioo bad been "laid to rest" though there were still risks.

He pointed to the twin US budget and trade deficits, which he said have undermined stock market confidence and sent the dollar tumbling.

The finance minister said the United States was likely to put its interest rates up at some stage to deal with the massive deficits.

Lawson said prospects for the world ecocomy were better than most people thought hkely a short while ago, with faster growth, interest rate reductions and greater international cooperation all playing their

### **Dutch strike** oil under refinery

PERNIS, Netherlands, Jan 15, (AP). The Dutch have struck oil right under one of Western Europe's largest oil refineries. the Dutch Petroleum Company (Nam) said yesterday.

The substantial oil deposit was discovered in November during test drilling at the Royal Dutch Shell refinery near this Rotterdam suburb, according to Nam spokesman Frank Duut. A suhsiantiai natural gas deposit was found at the same time, hut was disclosed last year.
The Netherlands contains

large natural gas fields, hut oil deposits are rare and the Nethcrlaods imports all its crude petroleum supplies.

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Nam surveyors believe the Perms site cootains an estimated 12-16 million barrels worth 350 million guilders (\$137 million). Dunt said, adding that extraction of the oil is expected to start withio two years.

The field also contains 5 billion cubic meters (175 billion cubic feet) of natural gas with a market value of a billion guilders (\$540 million). Duut said.

The fact that the Shell refinery sits above the field will cut development costs, Duut said, adding that the fuels are Nam

### **Takeshita ends Washington trip**

### US, Tokyo pledge to shore up dollar

WASHINGTON, Jan 15. (Reuter): Japanese Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita ends a fourday Washington visit today after making firm pledges to shore up the US dollar and to spur world trade hy opening Japan's mark-ets to foreign goods. His next stop was Toronto, for

meeting with Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney. Takeshita told Japanese

reporters yesterday that a joint statement he issued with President Reagan "was aimed at impressing currency markets that the two nations are determined to work further to stabilise exchange rates.

The two leaders pledged in the joiot statement on Wednesday to shore up the dollar to prevent any new wide currency fluctua-

Volatility

"Japan and the United States are ready to intervene anytime to prevent volatility in exchaoge rates," a senior Japanese official travelling with Takeshita told

Takeshita also renewed a pledge, in a speech to reporters at the National Press Club, that Japan will carry out marketopening measures and policy coordination in close cooperation with the United States.

"We will actively promote improvements in market access so as to further encourage this trend and to ensure that the expansioo of Japan's domestic demand will have positive

Despite output cuts

Gulf oil producers one by one are .

bowing to pressure from a glut-

ted market and undercutting

Opee's official price, industry

Six Gulf members of the

Organisation of Petroleum

Exporting Countries (Opec)

reduced output this month by at

Forced

But the output cuts - volun-

tary by Abu Dhabi, Kuwait and

Iraq and forced on Saudi Arabia

and Iran by slack sales - did oot

To preserve market shares,

recession-hit Gulf states began

meeting requests for supplies at

prices related to the spot market

almost two dollars below Opec's

Traders said Iran, Qatar and

Iraq bad been selling at spot-

related prices for some time.

Kuwait was also offering its

They said Saudi Arabia, the

crude at discount.

\$18-a-barrel benchmark price.

work, the sources added.

sources said yesterday.

impact on the world economy," he said in the speech.

Japao, which runs the world's largest trade surplus, has been pressured to hoost its economy and so increase imports. Pursue

'Japan will cooperate closely with the United States and West European nations, and will pursue appropriate coordination of our policies for macro-economic management." he said.

At the same time Takeshita asked the United States to cootinue its efforts to cut its fiscal hudget deficit, sustain economic growth and fight protectionism.

On specific trade disputes, US officials expressed satisfaction during Takeshita's visit with Japao's proposal to open its market to more foreign food, hut were not happy with Japan's proposal on opening up its construction husioess.

US Trade Representative Clayton Yeutter, in a radio interview, said Japan's proposal was vague and did not go far eoough. "It does oot meet our needs," he said.

Retallation Congress last month passed a bill barriog Japaoese firms from taking part in US federally-financed projects in retaliation for Japans closed industry.

Takeshita said in his Press Club speech, however, that the two sides would soon resolve the construction issue. Japan proposed negotiations between the two countries on

world's biggest oil exporter, was now also thought to be giving

discounts at least to some of its

big buyers. Only the United Arab

Emirates (UAE) had so far resis-

Opec President and Nigerian

Oil Minister Rilwanu Lukman said on Monday the 13-nation

group was now producing bet-ween-16 and 16.5 million barrels

per day including lraq; com

million in December.

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400,000 bpd in Jaouary. But with

around 350,000 bpd from Dubai,

the UAE total still stood at 1.2

million bpd compared with its

948,000 bpd Opec quota, indus-

ing its quota of 996,000 bpd, after cutting more than 150,000 in

They said Kuwait was produc-

Iran and Iraq, relying heavily

Lukman said Iraq, although

on bilincomes to fight their costly

war, were also cutting output.

Abu Dhabi, higgest producer

ted the pressure.

Gulf bows to discount pressure

President Reagan (right) shakes hands with Japanese Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita at the White House after the conclusion of their talks in the Oval Office. (Reuter wirephoto)

ways to allow more foreign participation in Japan's government-funded construction con-

Takeshita implied that opening of Japanese farm markets would take time, telling the Japaoese-only news conference

excluded from the Opec quota set

at the group's last meeting in

Vienna, bad cut output to

around 2.3 million bpd from an

Iran, facing buyer resistance after a US oil embargo against it,

was forced to Irim output. It now

produced under two million bpd

compared with a quota of 2.369

··Decline · -

Saudi Arabia's output fell to 3.6 million bpd from 4.2 million

in December, a decline also

Since the start of this week,

spot prices for February delivery

have fallen at least one dollar to

16.20 a barrel for European ben-

chmark crude Brent, after news

thal Gulf states were selling at a

Survey newsletter said on Mon-

day Saudi Arahia bad been giv-

four USoil companies that make

up the Arabian American Oil

Company (Aramco) — Exxon,

Mobil, Texaco and Chevron.

ing preferential treatment to the

The Middle East Ecocomic

attributed to lower purchases.

million, industry sources said.

estimated 2.6 million.

that Japanese producers should be protected as much as possible.

"Japao should make sure producers should oot suffer pains from liberalisation so rapidly," be said.

Takeshita told Japanese reporters that the trip had helped

It said the companies, which operate Saudi oilfields, were

invoiced on the basis, with final

Kuwait bad offered its Japan-

ese and US customers market-

related prices, but buyers were

demanding larger discounts, oil

were watching each other to see

which one would offer market-

related prices," one Japanese

Gave up

prices first. Abu Dhabi is now the

only Gulf producer selling at

He said Japanese oil compan-ies would soon negotiate

145,000-hpd term contracts with

ask for discounts," be said.

industry sources said.

"Kuwait gave up official

"Both Kuwait and Abu Dhabi

settlement deferred.

executives said.

executive said.

official prices"

establish firm trustworthy relations with Reagan.

The Japan-US relationship is cornerstone of Japanese foreign policy, and my government gives the highest priority to its management." Takeshita said io the Press Cluh speech.

### **North Sea** oil bonanza comes to an end

LONDON, Jan 15, (UPI): The bonanza from Britain's North Sea oil and gas is coming to an end, according to Ioland Revenue Statistics out Ioday The 1987 figures revealed the

slump in world oil prices in 1986 took a heavy toll on the government's tax revenues.

They illustrated how Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's period in office benefited from the boom in oil and gas produc-lion from the North Sea, now past its peak.

In 1978-79, revenue from oil swelled Treasury coffers by just £565 million (\$1.017 billioo), rising to £2.313 billion (\$4.1634 billion) the following year and £12.028 billion (\$21.6504 billion)

By 1985-86, it had slipped to £11.343 billion (\$20.4174 billioo).

Abu Dhabi, most of which are Then the collapse in world oil prices in early 1986 — from \$30 due to expire at the end of March. "The companies will surely to between \$10 and 14 a barrel slashed revenue, which fell to £4.798 billion (\$8.6364 billion) in Iran is also offering Japanese customers market-related prices for the first quarter of this year,

### **World Business Summary**

### Iran, Algeria sign trade agreement

NICOSIA, Cyprus, Jan 15, (AP): Iran and Algeria yesterday signed an agreement to boost trade and economic cooperation, the official Islamic Republic News Agency reported. The agency, monitored in Cyprus, said the agreement was signed by a Deputy Minister of Heavy Industries, Hassan Ramazanian-Pour, and Algerian Deputy Commerce Minister Mourad Medelci. The Algerian official is in Tehran for talks with his Iranian

counterparts. The news agency said Iran would "in the near future" export zinc, cement, ball bearings, and jeep-type cars to Libya. It said Libya in turn would send textiles, aluminium plate, chemicals and other commodities. The agency said trade between the two nations was expected to reach \$160 million this year. Libyan leader Col. Moammar Khaddafi, once Iran's backer in its 7-year-old war against Iraq, has in past mooths been backing off, describing the war as wasteful and urging Iran to seek peace.

### Italy to finance Indonesian geothermal plant

JAKARTA, Jan 15, (Reuter): Italy will belp Indonesia exploit its large reserves of geothermal energy by financing construction of a power plant in West Java, Indonesia's National Development Planning minister said yesterday. Johannes Sumarlin said the Italian government will provide financing of \$71 million on concessional terms for construction of the 110 megawatt plant at Mt Salak, 60 kms (40 miles) south of Jakarta. Agreement on the loan was announced following the visit to Indonesia of Italian Prime Minister Giovanni Goria last week. Sumarlin told reporters after a meeting with President Suharto the plant would be built by an Italian company, and consist of two 55 megawatt units. He did not name the company but Goria's delegation included executives from Italy's state energy conglomerate EN1. Oil producer Indonesia is estimated by the government to have an estimated total geothermal potential of 10,000 megawatts, but it has only just begun exploiting this, with two small plants operating oa Java, and a larger one under construction. But the government is keen to diversify its energy sources away from reliance on oil. The loan includes \$8.2 million to finance Indonesian government costs in the project. Sumarlin said the soft loan would be repayable in 20 years, with a grace period of 10 years and an interest rate of 1.5 per cent per annum. Agreement on the loan would be signed shortly, he stated without elaboration.

### BP cash offer 'inadequate'

LONDON, Jan 15, (AP): British Petroleum Co Pic yesterday formally launched its £2.27 billion (\$4.13 billion) cash offer for Britoil Plc, which has reached a competing, friendly agreement for Atlantic Richfield Co. to acquire a partial Britoil stake. BP, which had said it would offer 450 pence (\$8.19) a share for the 70.1 per cent of the Glasgow-based North Sea oil company it does not already own, confirmed the cash offer in a document sent to Britoil's shareholders. BP also announced that it would offer Britoil's shareholders a lower alternative of cash and BP stock which — at BP's share price yesterday — values Britoil's shares at 443 peoce (\$8.06) each or a total of £2.23 billion (\$4.06 billion).

A Britoil spokesman rejected the BP offer as "derisory" and "totally inadequate," after I get my baggage ready, " be said."

### Oman boosts gas reserves

MUSCAT, Jan 15, (Opecna): Oman's natural gas reserved increased by three trillion to 9.60 trillion cu. ft this month. according to sources at the Ministry of Petroleum and Minerals. Quoted by the Arabic daily 'Oman', the sources said that this year three gas prospecting programmes would be launched in the sultanate at a cost of \$6.30 million. In 1987, Oman's natural gas consumption totalled 50 billion cu ft with demands averaging 150 million and 400 million cu. ft a day in summer and winter respectively. Following the launching of a special exploration programme in 1984, Oman's natural gas reserves stood at 7.60 trillion ca. ft, increasing to 7.70 trillion cu. ft in 1985 and 8.10 trillion ca. ft in 1986.

### W. German deficit widens

BONN, Jan 15, (AP): West Germany's 1987 budget deficit grew far more than expected because of sluggish growth and other factors, reaching 27.5 hillion marks (\$16.8 billion), Finance Minsiter Gerhard Stoltenberg said yester-

Stolteoberg said the budget deficit was 5.2 billion marks (\$3.2) billion) more than originally planned

nations have been putting pressure on West Germany to stimulate economic growth, which could help ease the huge American trade deficit.

Last week, Stoltenberg said the 1988 hudget deficit will also be greater than planned for - hy about 10 hillion marks (\$6 billioo). He said one of the major

the US dollar late last year. At yesterday's news con-ference, Stolteoherg said the wider 1987 budget shortfall resulted from lower tax revenues caused by slower ecocomic growth and other factors.

In 1987, West Germaoy's Gross National Product (GNP) increased ao inflation-adjusted 1.7 per cent, according to preliminary government statis-

Meanwhile, Economics Minister Martin Bangemann said in a statement that the West German government will aim at real economic growht of between 1.5 per cent and 2.0 per cent in 1988. But he cautioned that the "range of prognoses" lies between I per cent and 2 per cent.

Clear Stoltenberg told reporters it is clear from statements by US officials in recent days that the United States does not want the dollar to drop further. He said the seven major indus-

trialised nations, known as the G-7, had succeeded in keeping the dollar relatively stable between Fehruary 1987 - when they signed the so-called Louvre accord to stabilise currencies and October.

Stoltenberg said the G-7 made aoother attempt to stabilise the dollar with a Dec 22 statement that essentially reaffirmed the Louvre accord. He said finance ministries and

central banks can bring about "a certain stabilisation of the dollar," hut he eautioned that economic fundamentals also play an important role. Attributed

Go Frankfurt currency markets, the dollar was fixed yesterday at 1.6374 West German marks, up from Wednesday's 1.6269.

Dealers attributed the gain to

Wednesday's round of concerted interventions by several central banks, including the US Federal Reserve and the West German

### Mexico renews Japanese oil contract

MEXICO CITY, Jan 15, (AP): The government oil monopoly Pemex announced on Wednesday the renewal of a cootract to sell 180,000 barrels daily of crude oil this year to Japan.

A brief statement said the 12month contract was signed at Pemex's Mexico City headquarters by Francisco Rojas, Pemex geoeraldirector, and Zeoji Tatai, executive vice presdient of the Mexican Petroleum Importing

The company represents private Japanese buyers of Mexican crude. Japan trails only the United

States and Spain as a customer for Mexican oil, which is this country's No. 1 export by far. Mexico is the world's fifth lar-

gest oil producer. Pemex announced on Monday that sales to foreign huyers last year brought in \$7.82 billion, a hefty 40 per cent increase over 1986.

### In the year the tractor industry is setting new records... **EICHER TRACTORS**

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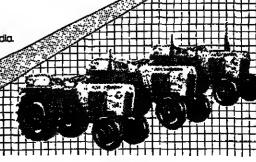
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#### UK urged to back any Murdoch bid for FT Lords singled out the Sun, a bra-Financial Times and added:

Party urged the government yes-terday to block any attempt by newspaper magnate Rupert Murdoch to add the prestige Financial Times to his international media empire.

The call came a day after the Pearson group, which owns the Business Daily, disclosed that Murdoch had raised his stake in the company from 14.9 to 19.8

"No one would trust a Murdoch Figancial Times as an impartial journal of financial record" lahour trade and industry spokesman Bryan Gould

He called on the government

The news that he was hought one in five shares in Pearson is extremely alarming.

of five British national newspapers including the Times. would need permission from the Monopolies Commission before he could buy more than 25 per cent of Pearson.

Debate

Murdoch, who is hattling, to avoid being legally obliged to

He was accused during a dehate in parliament on Wednesday of contributing personally to a steep decline in press standards. Speakers in the House of representative of the present condition to the tabloid press than all his editors and journalists put together," said Labour's Lord

oversees press conduct although it has no statutory powers. The Sun and its rival, the Star, homosexuality among the clergy carried the headline: "pulpit poofs can stay." Lord Deedes, once a Con-

servative cabinet minister and former editor of the Daily Telegraph, told the Lords the presuge of the national press "is at a very low ebb - the lowest l have known in about half a century of journalism."

Deedes said court juries "are increasingly attaching public anger with the press to the awards they make in libel cases." Awarded

Best-selling author Jeffrey Archer, a former Conservative Member of Parliament, was awarded £500,000 (\$910,000) last year hy a libel jury which cleared him of claims by The Star that he had paid a prostitute hush

# The United States and other

Decline On another issue, Stoltenberg also told reporters that the United States does not want the dollar to decline further.

factors was the sharp plummet of

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): Britain's opposition Labour

**Impartial** 

to tell Murdoch he would not be allowed to take control of the

Murdoch, already the owner

shed media interests in the United States, has denied wanting to take over the Financial Times and claims to want only a eloser relationship.

shly irreverent tabloid owned hy Murdoch, and his senationalist Sunday newspaper the News of the World, for harsh criticism. "Mr Murdoch is far more

The Sun, which pioneered the daily publication of nudepin-ups known as page three girls, is the paper most complained about to the Press Council, a body which

have been accused of persecuting the Royal family and plumbing new depths of bad taste. A Sun front page story after a recent Church of England debate of

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ALD LYONS	344/0	LLOYDS BK	263/0	APV PLC	123/0 123/0 114/0 113/D
AMSTRAD	136/4	LONRHO	268/0	AARONSON AAH HOLG	308/0 309/0
ARGYLL GP	195/D	LUCAS IND	596/0	ACATOS+HT	458/0 458/0
ASDA MFI A B FOODS	174/0 312/D	MAGNET	202/0	ADDISON G	94/0 96/0
	96/D	MARKS+5P	181/D	ADWEST GP	289/0 288/0
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BAT INDS	455/D	MEPC	442/D	ALEX WRKW ALLIANCE	168/0 167/0 735/0 740/0
BARCLAT5	495/D	MIDLAND BK	391/0	ALLD COLL	127/0 127/0
BASS	795/D	NEXT	28′ ′2	ALLD PLAN	50/0 50/0
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BLUE CIRC	425/0	PLESSEY	159/D	ANSBACHER	69/0 68/D
BOC GP	41D/D ·	PRUDENTIAL	845/0	-APP HOL	358/0 357/0
BOOTS CO BPB INDS	257/D 267/D	RACAL	24D/D	PLEYARD	335/D 338/O
BR COMM	340/0	RANK HVIS	327/0 599/0	COT	95/0 95/0 150/0 151/D
BR AIRWAY	164/D	RANK ORG RCKITT+CO	81D/O	AONG	370/D 371/D
BR AEROSP	365/D	REDLAND	435/D	AQUSCUTUM	260/D 260/D
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BRITDIL	455/D	RTZ CORP.	360/0	BBA GP	147/0 146/0
BUNZL BURMAH OL	168/D 447/D	ROLLS ROY	139/D	BSG INTL	68/D 68/D
BURTON	223/D	ROTHMAN B ROUNTREE	369/D 440/O	BAILL JAP	398/0 400/D 547/D S47/D
CABLE&UIR	373/D	ROYAL INS	405/D	BARKER DO	140/0 139/0
CADBURYS	259/D	SAATCHI	438/D	BARRT DEV	171/D 170/D
COATS VIY	264/D 35D.D	SAINSBURY	235/D 215.D	B.WEHMILL	148/D 148/D
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COOKSONS	55D/O	SEDGEWICK	228/0	BELLWAY	210/0 21D/0
COURTAULD	348/0	SHELL	047/0	BEMROSE	206/D 208/0
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GRANADA GLOBE	293/D 136/0	TSB T + N	116/0 188/0	BOWATER BOWTHORPE	362/D 361/D 162/O 163/D
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GKN GUINKESS	315/0 305/0	UNIGATE UTD BISC	301/0 274/0	BRIDON BRITANNIC	149/0 148/0 990/0 990/0
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UK STOCKS JUMP ON US TRADE DATA, BUT BELOW HIGHS

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BY JOE ORTIZ LONDON, JAN 15 - SHARES STAGED A SPECTACULAR RALLY AFTER NEWS OF A SMALLER THAN EXPECTED 13.22 BILLION OLR U.S. NOVEMBER TRADE CEFICIT WAS GREETED WITH HUGE RELIEF, DEALERS SAID. THE MARKET RECEIVED A FURTNER BOOST FROM AN EARLT SURGE ON WALL STREET AND THE FTSE 100 INDEX REACHED A HIGH DF 1,793.6

BEFORE EASING TO STAND A NET 38.3 UP AT 1,781.7 AT 1530 GHT. DEALERS SAID PRICES WERE BELOW THEIR BEST ON PROFIT-TAKING. IAN HARWOOD, DIRECTOR OF U.K. EQUITIES AT WARBURG SECURITIES SAID "THE FIGURE WAS A VERY PLEASANT SURPRISE, BUT THERE WERE

IMMEDIATE SECOND THOUGHTS OVER THE U.S. DEFICIT TREND. HARWOOD ADDED "IF YOU TAKE THE LAST TWO MONTHS TOGETHER TD GET A USEFUL INDICATION, THEN YOU STILL COME OUT WITH AN AVERAGE OF OVER 15 BILLION DLRS, WHICH IS STILL VERT BAD."

THE U.S. TRADE GAP SOARED TO A RECORD 17.6 BILLIDN DLRS IN DCTOBER AND THERE HAD BEEN WIDESPREAD FEARS THAT THE NOVEMBER DATA WOULD NOT SHOW A SUBSTANTIAL IPROVEMENT. IN THE EVENT, THE FIGURE WAS BELOW THE LOWEST FORECASTS AND THE DOLLAR CLIMBED. STEEPLY, GAINING FIVE PFENNIGS AGAINST THE MARK.

THIS HELPED DOLLAR EARNERS RISE SHARPLY, BUT DEALERS SAID THEY WERE NOT SURPRISED THAT THE RALLY MET SOME PROFIT-TAKING AS THE OUTLOOK FOR THE U.S. DEFICITS AND THE DOLLAR IS STILL BLEAK.

### **London Gold**

LONDON, JAN 15 - GOLD BULLION RALLIED TD CLOSE LITTLE CHANGED FROM THURSDAY'S LONDON CLOSE AT 481.50/482.5D DLRS AN OUNCE AFTER DIPPING SMARTLY FOLLOWING NEWS OF A SMALLER THAN EXPECTED U.S. TRADE DEFICIT IN NOVEMBER OF 13.22 BILLION OLRS. GOLD HAD DROPPED TO AROUND 478/479 DLRS, BUT FOUND GOOD SUPPORT AT THE LOWS DESPITE THE SUBSEDUENT SURCE IN THE DOLLAR FOLLOWING THE TRADE FIGURE, DEALERS SAID.

GOLD WAS FIRMLY INDICATED AT 485.00/485.50 DLRS JUST BEFORE U.S. DATA CAME OUT, WITH THE MARKET GENERALLY EXPECTING A DEFICIT NEARER TO OCTOBER'S RECORD 17.63 BILLION SHORTFALL. GOLD CLOSED AT 481.75/482.25 DLR5 ON THURSDAY.

### **London Money Market**

LONDON, JAN 15 - MONEY RATES ROSE AS MUCH A5 3/16 POINT THIS AFTERNOON AFTER NEWS DF A SMALLER THAN EXPECTED U.S. TRADE DEFICIT IN NOVEMBER PUSHED THE COLLAR SHARPLY HIGHER AND LOPPED HALF A POINT OFF STERLING'S TRADE-WEIGHTED INDEX, DEALERS SAID. THE INDEX ENDEO AT 74.7, WITH THE DECLINE QUE PURELY TO A FALL DF OVER FOUR CENTS IN STERLING'S VALUE AGAINST THE DOLLAR. THE 13.22 BILLION DLR U.S. TRADE DEFICIT CAME AS A RELIEF TO MOST MARKETS, WHICH HAD BEEN FEARING ANOTHER DOLLAR COLLAPSE ALL WEEK. BUT IT MAY NEAN THAT THE U.K. AUTHORITIES NOW HAVE THE LEEWAY TO RAISE INTEREST RATES TO DAMPEN COMM AN ECONOMY THEY FEAR IS CROWING TOO FAST, DEALERS SAIO.

### **Foreign Exchange**

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IND 53/4 54/D UTD\_S+S G U-FLOYD D 30,0 29/0 NEWS INTL 273/D 280/O 81/0 98/0 98/0 90/0 91/0 VG\_INSTMT 400/D 400/O FRESHBAKE NORCROS 355/D 356/D 484/0 485/0 63/D 63/O 25/D 25/O VAUX GROU NORMANS G U-FORD M 164/D 164/O GEEST PLC 228/D 228/D VICKERS NRFLK.CP. 117/D 118/D 329/D 32B/O VKINC R5. 53/D 48/D H\_AM\_TRUS GET INTL VIRCIN CP 120/D 120/D GERRD . &HAT 313/D 313/O 1D2/D 102/6 N.ENC.IND 139/0 138/0 VPI GROUP 273/D 270/O GVTT ORIE 215/0 217/0 NDRDN+PCO 141/0 141/D **WADDINGTON 199/0 198/D** GESTETNER 178/D 178/0 NORTON OP 455/D 455/O OCEAN T&T 261/0 263/D WAGON HDGS 285/D 290/D GLTHWED GVTT ATLT 110/D 110/D OCEANICS 17/4 19/D W.GRNBNK 92/0 91/D WARBURGS 341/0 340/0 WRD.WHT.GP 301/0 301/0 85/D 85/O CVTT STRT 224/0 208/D OWNERS AB GREYCOAT 315/D 315/O OXFRD INS 220/D 22D/D WTSON+PHIL 200/0 200/0 103/0 105/D U-GODWN.C 123/D 123/O PAC.ASST. 332/0 330/D WATES CITY 170/D 169/D 44/0 43/D CRMPN.TV PRKFLD GR 230/D 231/0 103/0 103/D 374/0 373/0 117/D 114/0 WATTS B+B 275/0 277/D GRMP\_TV\_H GRA GRP PEACHY PR U-WAYNE KR 58/D PENTLAND 267/D 266/0 87/0 86/0 WELLMAN CT PTLND PHOENIX **WESTLAND** 688/0 675/D NT.UNVL.S 44/0 44/0 PHICOK 194/0 193/0 175/D 175/0 WCRS GROU 228/D 225/O GRNHL.WIL PICKWICK WHEWAY PL 451/0 450/0 27/0 27/0 PLEASURAM 163/D 163/D 34/D 33/O GUINS\_PEA 85/D 85/D 313/D 314/D WIDNEY POLLY-PEC WLLM5.HDG 247/D 246/0 HTV GROUP 277/0 276/D POWELL DU 324/D 324/D 49/0 49/D 149/0 150/0 115/0 116/0 U-UMS.LEI HALL (M) PWRSCRN I WILSON BU 160/0 160/0 193/0 192/0 HAMBROS 110/0 110/0 PREEDY A 579/0 S78/0 NRSN+CRSF WLSN(C)HD 316/0 316/D 57/4 57/0 PRMR.C.O. 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BELGIUM	264.0	264.9	268.1	260.2	260.2	
CANADA	347.6	348.6	349.1	350.7	380.7	
DENMARK	348.5	348.6	348.1	336.6	336.6	
FRANCE	282.2	280.6	2B7. 1	288.5	288.5	
GERMANY	151.6	150.7	153.4	156.6	156.6	
HONG KONG	1700.8	1680.8	1728.7	1644.3	1644.3	
ITALY	376.3	377.6	380.3	377.4	377.4	
JAPAN	1065.2	1048.4	1065.2	1022.3	1022.3	
MEXICO	2289.2	2242.3	2170.1	5476.3	5476.3	
NETHERLNDS	215.0	214.2	217.1	215.9	215.9	
NORWAY	404.2	411.6	414.4	392.4	392.4	
SINGAPORE	494.4	491.0	500.2	473.1	473 . 1	
SPAIN	218.8	216.5	217.5	209.5	209.5	
SWEDEN	708.7	707.6	712.83	697.3	697.3	
SWITZ	138.8	138.3	141.5	140.7	140.7	
U.K.	527.7	524.9	526.0	515.7	515.7	
U.5.A.	228.6	228.4	227.9	229.4	229.4	
HORLD	404.6	402.4	403.7	408.D	408.D	
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AM FAMILY	13/6	13/3	GRACE LIR
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AM STNDARD AM STORES	50/2	49/2	GROLIER
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AMP INC	47/0	45/2	GULF-WESTN
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ASARCO INC	23/1	23/1	NEL CURTIS
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AVERY INT AVNET INC	21/0 24/2	20/5 23/4	HESSTON NEWL-PACK
AVON PRODS	25/3	25/0	NEXCEL CP
BELL ATLAN	68/3	66/4	NILLENBRAG
BCE INC	28/4 60/3	28/2 60/1	HILTH NTLS
BELL-HOW BETH STEEL	17/2	16/4	HOMESTAKE
BEVERLY	6/6	6/5	HNDY-HARM
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### Wall Street Statistics 'Composite'

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COLUMB GAS	30 1/4	- 3	BAT INDS 8 1/B	
TEXACO	3B 1/4	+ 1 3/8	NORMEL CO 21 3/4	+ 3/4
FORD MOTOR		+ 1 5/8	AMDAHL CP 34 1/8	
GEH ELEC	46 1/8	+ 1 5/8	WESTERN DI 13	+ 3/8
IBM	119 1/2	+ 3 5/8	LORIMAR TE 10 3/4	- 1/8
EAST KODAK	51 1/4	+ 1 1/2	TELESPHERE 6 3/4	+ 3/8
ATT	28 7/8	+ 1	ECHO BAY 22	- 1/4
UNION CARB	20 3/4	- 3/8	TEXAS AIR 11 1/8	+ 3/B
NYSE LARGES	T PER CENT	CHANGE	AMEX LARGEST PER CE	NT CHANGE
STOP SHOP	25 3/4	+ 4 1/4	CNTL JRSY 13 3/8	+ 3
JEPSON CP	7 1/4	+ 1	COSMOPOL 2 1/8	
STRAGE TEC	2	+ 1/4	TURNER B 10 1/4	+ 1 5/8
COLUMB GAS	30 1/4	- 3	CONT GRAPH 6	- 7/8
WHITEHALL	11 1/2	- 1	ARMATRON 2	- 1/4
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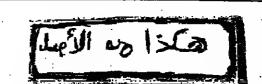
### **Wall Street Market Report**

New York, Jan 15 - Wall Street stocks rallied forcefully on news of a much smaller-than-expected US merchandise trade deficit in November, traders said. They reported heavy foreign and domestic interest in stocks as the dollarrose, easing the threat of higher interest rates.

The Dow 30 was up 48 points at 1964 and gainers outran declining issues twelve-to-one. Trading was moderately active.

High Tech issues were leaders with IBM up 3-1/2 to 119-3/8, Hewlett-Packard anead 2-3/8 at 57-1/8 and Compaq ahead 1-3/4 at 54-1/2.

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PARIS, Jan 15, (Reuter): Fin-ance Minister Edouard Balladur

renewed French pressure yester-

day for a stronger European Monetary System and urged

ponse to radical proposals which he made in letters to fellow

European finance ministerslast

week on European and global

Balladur favonrs a European

central hank which would one

day manage a common, hasket

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ecocomic zone ... naturally sug-

gests the idea of a common

currency for Europeans.

European countries should

seriously consider setting up a

common central bank to manage their common currency," be told

tighter European Mooetary Sys-tem (EMS), the device in which

key Europeao currencies float

pouod sterling to be hrought fully iour the system and says all currences should floor under the same conditions. Italy's fire is

now allowed wider floctuation

than other currencies within the

Le Figaro that slow West Ger-

man domestic consumption of

goods hampered its partners'

export attempts and threw

European trade flows off

maoy bas heen able to accumulate external trade sur-

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The French minister also told

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Balladur wants Britain's

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In athe meantime, he wants a

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pluses because of insufficient internal growth without any

mechanism being in place which

would prompt it to accelerate the

agreement on at least a fram-

ework for discussion of his ideas

at the next EEC summit in Brus-

Jacques Chirac have begun to

expand on their visioo of

Europe's future - perhaps, say

political analysts, with an eye on

votes before Chirac's likely

declaration at the end of January

that he will run io the French

But there is so far little sign of

an enthusiastic reaction to the

monetary proposals, and econ-

omists doubt if other nations

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not yet the time to join."

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Both he and Prime Minister

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pace of its economy," he said. Balladur hopes to reach

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### International Bond Highlights

Zurich — The European Investment Bank is issuing a 150 mln Swiss franc 10-year bond with a 4-1/2 pct coupon and par issue price, lead manager Banque Gutzwiller, Kurz, Bungener said. Amsterdam — Bank Mees En Hope NV said it is launching undar its own management a 100 mln guilder zero coupon bond, the first since this type of gapar paying no annual interest was allowed in the Natherlands on January 1 this year. London — The dollar straight sector of the Eurobond market surged in line with US Treasury

securities following news of the unexpectedly low US November Trade deficit of \$13.22 billion, dealera said.

London — US Treasury bond prices in London soared within minutes of release of the smallar Ihan expected US trade deficit, dealers said.

Paris — The new seven billion franc, 9.50 pct French state bond has been fully subscribed by

Interbank Rates

individual Investors only one week after issue, lead manager Societe Generale said.

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FOLLOWING are the average KD interest rates of local inter- hank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of Kuwalt on Thursday:

Offered

3-13/16

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20	35	34.50	34.50	MODIALKALI NARMDACHNT	5.50		
	108	107	107.50		27.50	27.50	27.50
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PR.CLC				35	34.50	34.50	MODIALKALI	5.50		
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AHMDADV -			GSFC	108	107	107.50		27.50	27.50	27.50
ARINDADV400 -			GUJPETRO	23.50			PREMALITO	25.75	29	28.50
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ANDHRA VLY 147.5			HINDALCO	129	129	131	RAYMONIJOOL	95	93	94
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BAR RAYON 16	0 157.50	160		21	20	20.50		34.25	33	33.50
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BOMBAY STOCK PRI	CE5		I HDROL	205	200		STONEDICAL		13	12.50
BSE INDEX 472.3	5	467.65	ITC	38	36.50		STEELTUBE			
CENTURYSPG .70		695	ITC CD					187 50	187.50	187.50
COLGATE 206.2	5 205		JK 120				TATACHEM	71	69.50	
DEEPAKFERT 34.5	33.50			62	61		TATAOIL	84	84	83
DHARCEMENT			L AND T	93.50	94.50		TELCO	390	380	390
FICOM ORG -			HAGNAHARD	,,,,,	74.50	. :-	UDAIPHOSPN	370	300	3/0
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BASF	236.0 248.0	237.1 247.2	- 1
BAYER	305.0		- 1
BAYER HYP BAYER VER	310.0	305.5 305.5	- 1
BBC .	278.2	280.2	1
BAF	294.0	301.0	1
BWY-	465.0	467.0	- 1
CHEMIE-VER	403.0	120.0	-1
COMMERZBK	208.5	204.5	- 1
CONTI GLAMM	184.0	186.0	- 1
DAIMER BEN	554.0	550.5	ı
DEUTSC BNK	387.0	384.5	
DLV.	305.0	305.0	- 1
DRESDNER 8	219.5	223.0	
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HOESCH	89.5	87.5	- 1
HORTEN	158.0	157.0	- 1
HUSSEL HLD	384.0	390.0	-
KALI SALZ	115.0	117.0	ł
KARSTADT	362.2	381.0	
KAUFHOF	352.0	342.5	-
KLOECK H	88.0	87.5	
KLOECK W	. 0	75.2	-1
LINDE	536.0	535.0	-1
LUFTHANSA .	131.0	134.0	- [
MAN .	143.0	143.5	- 1
MANKE SMAN	102.8	102.5	
MERCEDES	454.0	458.0	
METALLGES	200.0	208.0	
WIXDORF PF	522.5	537.0	
NORSK HYD	38.50	38,50	
PHILIP KOM	597.0	611.5	- [
PORSCHE	420.0	419.5	ı
PREUSSAG	105.0	107.0	-1
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RHEIN	199.0	211.5	
RHEIN P	194.0	203.7	-
RHEINMETAL	. 216.0	220.0	
SALAWANDER	263.5	265.0	
SCHERING	355.2	364.3	1
SEL	299.0	300.8	- [
SIEMENS	346.7	347.7	
THYSSEN	106.1	106.5	
VARTA	220.0	225.5	1
VEBA	244.0	253.0	- 1

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C H TUNNEL	14.40	14.30
CHEUNG K	6.80	6.80
CHINA GAS	15.30	15.40
CHINA L-P	18.60	18.50
CHINA MOTE	16.70	16.70
COSMO PROP		5.55
EVERGO HID	.33	.33
FAR EAST C	.71	.72
GEN ORIENT	0	44.00
H C DEVELP	8.40	8.35
H S THDEX	429.77	411.52
KANG LUNG	4.45	4.45
HANG SENG	29.00	29.00
HAV PAR BR	. 0	21.00
IK ELEC CO	7.85	7.75
HK KOLF CON	6.40	6.35
HK LAND CO	7.50	7.45
HK SHAN BK	7.40	7.40
HK SHAD HT	4.00	4.10
HK TELE CO	14.70	14.60
HUTCH WHAM	7.40	7.25
IND EQ PAC	7.30	7.95
KONFOON W	11.20	11.10
NEW WORLD	10.70	10.60 7.45
PAUL Y CON	7.50 1.59	1.60
REALTY DEV	5.10	5.10
SNKCO	1.72	1.73
S H K PROP	8.75	8.70
SIME DARBY.	1.42	1.44
STELUX MFG		5.70
SWIRE PAC	15.80	15.80
TVBCO	13.00	13.00
TAI CHELING	3.07	3.07
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	AL-NISER EXCHANGE	0.89		JOR PHOSPHATE MINS		2.50
	ALA-ADDIN COMPANY	1.22	1.22	JOR PIPES MANUFACT	1.20	1.11
•	ARAB ALUMINUM IND.	1.84	1.85	JOR PRESS/PUBLISH.	2.11	2.15
	ARAB BANK		118.0	JOR PRINTING/PACK.	3.00	3.00
	ARAB CHEMICAL DIER			JOR ROCK WOOL IND.	0.65	0.65
	ARAB FINANCE CORP.	1.47	1.48	JOR SECURIT. CORP	0.91	0.91
	ARAB INSURANCE	1.02	1.01	JOR TIMBER PROCES.	0.17	0.17
	ARAB INT. INV/TRAD.	1.02		JOR WOOD INDUSTRY	0.97	0.97
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	ARAB JOR/INVST/BK		2.20	JOR.INV.FIN.CORP.	1.95	1.94
	ARAB PAPER CON/TRD	0.27	0.25	JORDAN BREWERY	3.65	3.65
	ARAB PHARMA.MANF.	2.08	2.07	JORDAN DAIRY	0.99	0.95
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:	CAIRO AMMAN BANK	24.25	24.50	JORDAN KUHALT BANK	1.59	
-	DAR AL SHAAB PRESS	0.41	0.40	JORDAN TANNING	2.00	2.00
	DAR ALDAMA DV/INV.	1.35	1.33	LIVESTOCK/POULTRY	0.72	0.73
	DARCO/INVEST/HOUS.	0.46	0.46	MAS INDUSTRIES	0.69	0.73
	DEVELOP/INVST/FAS.	0.76	0.65	MIDDLE EAST HOTEL	0.60	0.40
	FINANCE/CREDIT/COR	0.63	0.64	MIDDLE EAST INS.	60.00	
	GENERAL INSURANCE	2.39	2.63	MINERALS RESEARCH	0.60	
	GENERAL INVESTMENT	1.47	1.35	NAT.FIN.INVEST CO	1.53	1.50
	GENERAL MINNING.	1.55	1.50	NAT/CABEL/WIRE/MF	0.94	0.95
	HOLY LAND INS.	1.25	1.15	NATIONAL AHLIA INS	1.35	1.35
	IND./MATCH JEMCO	0.76	0.75	NATIONAL INDUSTRY	0.50	0.50
	INDSTRL DEVLPT 8HK	1.33	1.29	NATIONAL PORTFOLIO	0.75	0.74
	INDSTRL/COMM/AGR.	1.27	1.28	NATIONAL STEEL	2.53	2.53
	INDUSTRIAL INVEST			NTWLSHIPPING LINE	0.85	0.83
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	INTERN.CON/INV	0.64	0.64	PETRA BANK	2.30	2.08
		1.01	1.01	PETRA ENTERPRISES	0.58	0.61
	ISLAMIC INV. HOUSE	0.64	0.64	PETRA JOR.INS.	0.50	
	J.PRESS FOUNDATION	3.50	3.85	PHILADELPHIA INS.	0.69	
	JERUSALEM INS.	1.43	1.34	RAFIA INDUSTRIAL	0.80	
	JO TOBACCO/CIGARET		13.20		0.44	0.44
	JOR CEMENT FACT.	0.99	0.99	SPIHING WEVING .	0.94	0.94
	JOR CERANIC FACTOR		1.02	THE HOUSING BANK	1.57	1.57
	JOR EAGLE INS.		25.05		2.50	2.50
		1.46	1.45	UNIVERSAL CHEM. IND		1.67
	JOR FINANCE HOUSE	1.14	1.14	UNIVERSAL INS.	0.80	
	JOR GLASS INDUSTRY	0.93	0.95	WOOLEN INDUSTRIES	0.74	0.74
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			GUINNESS	244	245	LEONGHUAT		179
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AMB HLDGS	140	130	H TAI PAN	50	51	M'5NITA	480	
AMCOL	135	130	HARIMAU	82	81	ATAW'H	80	
BATA	260	260	HAW PAR	295	291	MAGNUM	208	203
CARLS8ERG			HEXZA	95	93	MALEX IND	380	380
CCH	300		NIND HOTL			MARCOPOLO	87.5	89
CS HLDGS			HTL M'SIA			MCB HLDGS	75	75
			HTL NEGAR	290	290	MEHANG	48	47
DKH	472		HTL PROPS	83	82.5	NIHEBEA	126	126
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### Singapore Stock Market Report

SINGAPORE STOCKS FIRMER AT CLOSE SINGAPORE, JAN 15 - SHARE PRICES WERE FIRMER OVER A BROAD FRONT ON SHORT-COVERING AND BARGAIN HUNTING IN QUIET TRADING WITH LATE PROFIT-TAKING WELL ABSORBED, BROKERS SAID.

THEY SAID TRADING WAS CAUTIOUS AS INSTITUTIONS REMAINED ON THE STOELINES PENDING THE RELEASE OF U.S. NOVEMBER TRADE FIGURES LATER TODAY. BUYING INTEREST WAS FOCUSED ON SINGAPORE-BASED BLUE CHIPS AND QUALITY STOCKS WITH A NANDFUL OF THEM POSTING DOUBLE-DIGIT GAINS.

THE STRAITS TIMES INDUSTRIAL INDEX CLIMBED 8.23 POINTS TO 869.80 FROM THURSDAY'S CLOSE OF 861.57 AND TURNOVER SOARED TO 31.6 MLN SHARES FROM 22.8 MLN.

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COMMERC	IAL/IND	STRIAL !	SECTOR	8C-A	78.50	78.00	79.00
STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL	LC-A	.55	-55	.56
IC-A	8.30	8.30	8.40	LC-B	.61	.60 -	.61
NSCOR	5.00	5.00	5.10	PX-A	.54	.54	.55
FER	2.70	2.65	2.75	PX-B	.55	-55	.56
GLO	33.00	33.00	33.50	OIL SE	CTOR		
PLDT	155.00	154.00	155.00	BP-A	.016	-016	-017
CIB		31.00	33.00	BP-B		.016	.017
SMC-A	117.00	116.00	117.00	LRC-A		.003	.0032
SMC-B		130.00		LRC-B		.003	
DAININ	SECTOR			OPM-A	.0925	.09	.0925
APX-A	.0525	.0525		OPM-B	.09	-0925	.0975
LPX-B	.0525	.0525	0550	OV~A	.049	.048	.049
AT-A	29.50	29.50	30.00	OV-B	.05	.049	.05

### Makati Stock Market Report

OFFICIAL I	NFORMATION			
SECTOR	SHARES	VALUE	AVERAGES	CHANGES
COMM IND.	510.230	3,796,565	765.66	11.83 U
MINING	104,490,250		6.113.53	102.29 U
OIL	241,430,000		6.346	0.208 U
TOTAL	346,430,480			18.24 U

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STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL	BC-A	78.00	78.00	80.00
SMC-A	116.00	115.00	116.00	BC-B		80.00	100.00
AGPI-A			65.00	LC-A	.55	.55	.56
ANSCOR	5.10	5.00	5.10	LC-B	.60	.60	.62
AC-A		8.20	8.60	PK-A	.54	<b>-53</b>	.54
FERT-A	2.60	2.60	2.70	OIL SEC	CTOR		
FERT-8		2.70	2.85	STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL
GLO		32.50	33.00	BP-A	.016	.015	.016
PLDT	155.00	154.00	155.00	BP-B	.017	.016	-017
SOTIRE		27.00	27.50	OPM-A	.0925	.09	.0925
NINING	SECTOR			OPM-B	.09	.09	.0950
STOCK	LT	BUY	SELL	OV-A	.048	.048	.049
APK-A	.05	.05	-0525	8-VO	.05	.049	.05
APX-B	.05	.05	.0525	SPM-A	.024	.025	.026
AT-A	30.00	29.50	30.00	SPM-B	.025	.025	.026
AT-8	32.50	32.50	33.00	TA	.029	.029	.03

### Manila Stock Market Report

OFFICIAL	IHFORMATION			
SECTOR	SHARES	VALUES	<b>AVERAGE5</b>	CHANGES
C/I	343,650	6,672,210	762.28	UP 6.02
MINING	189,234,800	33,561,475	5,577.08	UP 62.81
OILS	262,060,000	11,282,250	6.508	UP .245
TOTAL	450,638,450	51,515,935	828.05	UP 15.77

### KUWAIT

As of 13.1.88						
BANK SECTOR	P.CLS	LT	HIGH	LOW	VOL	ŤŘADĘ
-NATIONAL BANK -GULF BANK	1.020 0.395	1.030 0.395	1.030	1.020 0.395	130000 220000	7 5
-COMMERCIAL BK	0.280	0.275	0.280	0.275	60000	4
-AHLI BANK	0.380	0.380	0.380	0.380	20000	2
-B.K.M.E -K.R.E.8.	0.290 0.440					
-BURGAN BANK	0.280	0.280	0.280	0,280	20000	2
-K.F.NOUSE	0.500	0.510	0.510	0.495	170000	11
INVESTMENT SECTO	0.218	0.212	0.212	0.212	54810	2
-K.F.T.C.I.C.	0.210					
-K.I.I.C. -COM.FACILITIES	0.170 0.440	0.435	0.435	0.435	10000	1
-AHLIAH INV.	0.000					
· -I.F.A.	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.110		•
-INV. PEARL KWT INSURANCE SECTOR	0.104	0.112	0.112	0.104	940000	16
-KWT INSURANCE	0.800	0.740	0.760	0.740	15000	3
-GULF INSURANCE	0.390					
-ANLIA INS. CO. -WARBA INS. CO.	0.490					
REAL EST SECTOR						
-KWT R.EST. CO. -UNI R.EST. CO.	0.280	0.132	0.132	0.132	60000	2
-NAT R.EST. CO.	0.240	0.132	0.132			
-SALNIAN R.E.	0.070					
-KWT PROJECTS -KWT R.E.I.CON	0.094					
INDUSTRY SECTOR						
-NAT IND. CO. -KWT M.P. IND.	0.560 0.315	0.295	0.295	0.295	10000	1
-KWT CEMENT CO.	0.248	0.293	0.293	0.293	10000	
-REF. IND. CO.	0.395					
-N.A.M.T.CO. -GULF CABLE	0.000	1.040	1.040	1.040	250000	1
-K.PH.IND. CO.	0.176					
-CONT.MARINE	0.350 0.046					
-K.SH.REP.CO SERVICES SECTOR	0.046					
-OVERLAND TRANS	0.090	0.085	0.085	0.085	80000	2
-K.N.C. CO. -KWT HOTELS CO.	0.218 0.168					
-P.WAREHOUSING	0.176					
-CON.NKT.CNPX.	0.017 0.390	0.385	0.385	0.385	750000	26
-KWT COMPUTER	0.186	0.190	0.365	0.385	400000	12
FOOD SECTOR						
-LIVESTOCK T.T.	0.255					
-UNTO POULTRY	0.248	0.248			20000	1
	0.320 0.150					
MON-KWT SECTOR						
	0.072	0.052	0.052	0.052	280000	2
-BHN.M.EAST.BK -UNTD.GULF BK	0.051	0.052	0.052	0.052	200000	
-COAST INVEST.	0.094	0.093	0.094	0.093	160000	3
-A.G.INV.CORP -FIRST.GULF BK	0.041 0.870	0.041	0.041	0.041	400000	3
-B.K.I.G.	0.096	0.092	0.092	0.092	520000	7
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FINANCIAL SECTOR	P.CLS	LT	HIGH	LOW	VOL	TRADE
	0.098	0.042	0.042	0.042	452988	4
-GULF INV.CO. -GULF INTL INS	0.000	0.042				
-ARAB INT CO.	0.055					
-SHARJAH INS -GULF UNION INS	0.000					
INDUSTRIAL SECTO	R					
B-GULF MEDICAL C-R.K.WHITE CMNT	0.015 0.016					
D-AJMAN CEMENT	0.007					
E-FUJAIRAN CEMT	0.007	0.007	0.007	0.007	160000	_ 1
F-SHARJAH CEMENT G-GULF CEMENT	0.007		0.007			
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Le Figaro.

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LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): Businessmen and bankers who gave Nigeria credit to buy imports announced yesierday they reluctantly accepted a repayment plan that some say gives them too little over too long a period of time.

At a special meeting in Lon-don, creditors voted 248 to 112 to accept Nigeria's offer to repay \$3.25 hillion of I.O.Us in the form of promissory notes. With unpaid interest added in the notes are worth an estimated \$4

"The smaller husinesses are very, very upset by the Nigerian plan. But they see the Nigerians have dug Iheir beels in and they're unlikely to get a better deal," said Ian Campbell, chair-man of the British Export Houses Association (Beha).

The money will be paid back over a 22-year period, which some say is too long, especially since other groups of creditors get their moncy back in three to

"In the 1970s companies were only too happy to trade with Nigeria. They paid their debts, even if they were late sometimes – until the oil prices slumped in 1982," said Campbell.

The trade creditors are also upset because Nigerian officials had previously rejected \$2 billion of their claims.

Nigeria's military government

Campbell said he knew of at

A Hong Kong group has for-

### Foreign Currency



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kistani Rupees	15.
Lankan Rupees	8.
Alepino Peso	13.
dollars	274
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### Constantes

FOLLOWING	are	ioter-
national currency	ratesas	quoted
by local banks and	i annou	nced by
the Central Bank	of Ku	wait on
Thursday		

	Buying	Selling
US dir	.27255	.27403
Stg.	49664	.49962
DΜ	.16647	.16748
S. fr	.20431	.20558
F. fr	.04934	.04963
It lira	.0002264	.0002279
J. Yen	.0021460	.0021595
B dinar	.72294	.72707
UAE dir	.07419	.07463
S. riyal	.07264	.07306
Q. riyal	.07484	.07532
O. riyal	.70773	.71205

### Li accused of taking stock bribe

HONG KONG, Jan 15, (Reuter): The former chairman of Hong Kong's Stock Exchange was accused today of taking a hribe of 1.1 million cut-price shares to help a company list its stock on the British colooy's bourse.

Against Corruption, yesterday.

will appear io court again on

The court extended bail of 10

million Hong Koog dollars (\$1.3

millioo) despite a plea hy

prosecutor Anthony Duckett for

an increase "because of the very

charges were being considered against Li but be did oot

Li was accused of accepting

shares from Kumagai Gumi-Hong Kong in the name of Zee Kwoh-Kung, a prominent local stockhroker who heads a joint

venture with the hig US securities

firm Bear Stearns and Co. No

charge has been brought against

DucketI told the court further

serious nature of the charges.'

He did oot enter a plea and he

share French enthusiasm for a Europeao central bank aod a sin-Rooald Li, 58, was charged with accepting shares of Kumagai Gumi-Hoog Kong, a gle currency, ideas Balladur has British Prime Minister Marlocal company controlled by the garet Thatcher said on Wednesbig Japanese construction firm day of sterling's EMS entry: "1 Kumagai Gumi, for 'sbowing think that the turbulence we have favour or forbearing to show disbeen through has sbown that it is favour" wheo its stock went

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elaborate.

public io May last year.
The coorroversial former Karl Otto Poehl, president of stock chief, who is still a vice-chairman at the exchange, was the West German Bundesbank (ceotral bank), said the EMS had shown great stability during the arrested oo January 2 and fordollar's recent slide. mally charged by Hong Koog's crack anti-graft unit, the iodependent Commission

"It is quite extraordinary that, contrary to previous experience," the downwards pressure on the dollar, and linked to it, the upwards pressure oo the mark have not provoked any particular tensioo io the European Monetary System," he said.

The head of the Institut Mooetaire Luxembourgeois, the Luxembourg monetary authority, Pierre Jaans, told Reuters yesterday that central bank heads were beginning to take the idea of a European central bank more

### **KD** deposit rates bounce back in active trade

KUWAIT dinar interbank deposit rates bounced back in active trade following sharp declines on Wednesday.

Dealers said the Central Bank borrowed funds of up to ten days early oo Thursday, although a small rally was later dampeoed after commercial hanks stepped in to lend. Overnight aod tomorrow-next were offered at 1/ 2 per cent. Ooe-week was indicated at three, two per cent.

On Wednesday, commercial banks, then later the Central Bank, had forced rates down sbarply by putting large amounts of one month funds on offer.

### Activity

Bankers reported beavy activity in the secondary market for treasury bonds and hills, but said there was no sign of a new government note issue.

One-month rose to four, 3-1/2 per cent from 3-3/4, 2-3/4 per cent on Wednesday and three months climbed to 5-1/8, 4-5/8 per cent from 4-3/8, 3-3/4 per cent. Six months firmed to 5-1/4, 4-7/8 per cent from 5-1/8, 4-5/8

The Central Bank set its dinar exchange rate at 0.27324/34 to

the dollar from 0.27279/89 on Wednesday. Meanwhile, in Bahrain, Saudi rival interbaok deposits began

firm after a late surge on Wednes-

day but longer-dated maturities

work to find rates bad risen shar-

later fell back by a modest 1/8

point on profit-taking.

Dealers reported hectic trad-

iog at times as some came in to ply overnight. A few had been dealing until 7.30 pm on Wednesday as European banks borrowed rival and rushed deposit rates higher. The surge this week has been

fuelled by worries the kingdom might devalue the rival to increase revenue after a popular outcry forced cancellation of a plan to tax foreigners. But Thusday's market was characterised by light profittaking.

One-month rates began firm at seven, 6-3/4 per cent after 6-1/2, 1/4 per cent at the end of the morning session's trading on Wednesday and held those levels through Thursday morning. Three-months began at 7-1/4,

seven per ceni and six-months at 7-3/8. 1/8 after levels before Wednesday's late surge at 6-11/ 16, 7/16 and 7-1/16, 6-13/16 respectively. Both maturities later eased back from highs by about 1/8 point.

One-week funds held firm at eight, 7-1/2 per cent in what dealers described as a very husy market for a Thursday, usually quiet ahead of the Friday weekend in the Gulf.

The spot riyal settled at

3.7494/98 to the dollar.

### Creditors agree to reschedule debt

said it did so because many claims from foreign suppliers were fraudulent or inflated.

least six companies that had been driven to bankruptcy because of unpaid Nigerian bills

med a company called Confidential Recoveries aimed at starting costly legal proceedings to force Nigeria to pay more.



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### Gold prices drop

### Dollar bounces up on US trade figures

NEW YORK, Jan 15, (Reuter): Stock prices surged around the world and the dollar jumped on currency markets today after the United States reported an unexpectedly large drop in its November trade deficit.

'The markets are going through the proof. This is an exceptionally good number," said a New York dealer.

Wall Street stocks surged 50 points on the Dow Jones industrial average to 1,951 in the first 15 minutes of trading and held onto the gain throughout the morning

#### Narrowed

The Commerce Department said the trade deficit narrowed in November to \$13.22 billion from a record 17.63 billion in October. surprising even the most opumisuc forecasters who had been expecting a figure in the 14 to 15 billion range.

The dollar immediately shot higher, advancing by four marks and four years 1.6700 marks and t29.90 yen from yesterday's close

"It's fast and furious," said Karen Kluge of Credit Suisse, referring to trading activity after

the trade report. "For the first five minutes after the number, it was like the stock exchange on October 19. You couldn't find a price," said Chris Bourdain of Bank of America's New York office.

The London stock market's main blue-chip barometer, the FTSE-100 share index, gained more than 15 points to 1.755 after the trade figure was announced. British government bonds also soared.

#### Jumped Paris shares jumped 2.6 per

The benchmark US Treasury 30-year bond jumped \$1.75 to \$100.31 per \$100 face value of bonds.

The dollar gained nearly four yen to 129.90 yeo. Against sterling it gaioed more than four cents to trade at 1.7825 dollars to

Dealers had feared vet another big trade deficit, remembering that bad US trade figures belped trigger the 'Black Monday' October 19 markets crash.

Also, they recalled that news in December of the record monthly trade deficit for October caused a oew retreat of share values and hit the dollar.
Arguing

By January 4 the dollar was at historic lows of just 120.20 Japaoese yen and 1.5615 West German marks, from which it had to be rescued by concerted intervention during the past 10 days by central banks in the Uoited States, Europe and Japan.

Some economists have been arguing that the dollar had fallen

too far.
They said the trade deficit would start to come down as a cheaper dollar priced foreign goods off the US market and bas American compaoies started gaining sales overseas.
"US manufacturers are the low cost producers in many areas, European manufacturers are holding market share only by severely cutling profit margins. ted. and will soon be forced to cut production and jobs," said Sykes Wilford, an economists at invest-

The trade deficit reported today declined in part because exports for the month soared 9.4 per cent to a record \$23.8 hillion. Imports fell six per cent to 37.02 per cent.

ment hankers Drexel Burnham

While financial markets bang on the release of US trade figures. many sceptical analysts in the United States say these monthly statistics are little more than guesswork.

But the trade figures have repeatedly moved markets in the recent turbulent months. Anxiety

Besides general anxiety about the US ecocomy, an explanation for the impact made by bad figures seems to be that currency operators have judged that — for

imports much more than it exports - it would pour out more dollars than people wan-

So anticipaling a fall in the value of the dollar, they have sold and taken it down. Stock markets then fell, too, because a weak dollar threatens inflation in the United States and pinches Asian and European companies exports earnings. Friday's good figures might

signal a firmer trend in all markets. Several brokers were saying that anything better than a forecast \$15 billion deficit could be regarded as a positive sign.

As the dollar gained, gold plummeted, losing \$10.20 per ounce to \$481 in New York. Analysts said markets in

Europe bad been paralysed ahead of the US trade figures. The Japaoese, whose markets were closed today for a boliday, shrugged off worries about America's huge deficit and bought stock yesterday.



Dealers in the London Stock Exchange keep a close eye on their screens as the dollar and stocks moves up on the news of US trade deficit. (Reuter wirephoto)

### Central Bank favours merger

#### (Continued from Page 1)

Bank welcomed any good results and returns hy any bank or company, but would not agree to distribution of profits to sbareholders at the expense of financial results which were known to the Central Bank. He said the Central Bank realised the effect of such distribution of profits on the activity of these hanks and companies. He said this may not be clear now, but the Central Bank's policy was based on concern for the future activities of the local banks and companies.

#### Refused

Sheikh Salem said that when the Central Bank refused a request to distribute a certain profit rate it was because the Central Bank wanted to protect the assets of the bank or company. But if the Central Bank found the results were good, then it agreed to the request.

Speaking about the speculation in huying US dollars by local banks, be said that resulted in lack of liquidity in Kuwaiti dinars and causing KD interest rates to rise up to 40 per cent for one night. He said, in 1981 the interest rate had shot up to 53 per cent for one night.

He explained that the local banks, taking advantage of the dollar's sharp drop to 269 fils, had started buying dollars without covering their dinar deposits with the Central Bank. The Central Bank then intervened, and commercial banks which were speculating had to burry and cover their deposits and were forced to pay a high interest rate for dinars.

### Object

He said the Central Bank did not object to the financial activities of commercial banks. hut said these activities should be legal and should not be at the cost of the Kuwaiu dinar.

About implementation of the difficult loans settlement programme, the Governor said that, until Jan 7, the Central Bank had implemented the programme on 96 per cent of the dealers involved and for 93 per cent of the amount. He praised the effect of the programme's implementation on the national economy.

#### **Ozal predicts Turkey payments** deficit halved

ISTANBUL. Jan 15. (Reuter): Turkey's current account deficit for 1987 may be less than \$750 million, about half the 1986 deficit, Prime Minister Turgut Ozal said yesterday. The current account balance

of payments figures are keenly watched by foreign bankers concerned about repayment of Turkey's foreign debt. which stood at \$33.1 hillion in July. Turkey's unofficial total

foreign revenue for 1987 would be about \$16 billion against expenditures of between 16.70 and \$16.75 hillion, Ozal told state radio.

The official deficit in the first t0 months of 1987 was \$395 million. The 1986 total was \$1.53 billion and over \$1 billion in 1984 and 1985.

The improvement was mainly due to a 34 per cent rise last year in Turkish exports, mostly manufactured goods. Exports are expected to earn \$10 hillion in

Ozal said Turkey's rate of foreign deht accumulation compared to revenues was far slower than its peak in the 1975-79 period. He hoped Turkey's current account deficit would be eliminated within five years.

### **US trade deficit drops sharply**

WASHINGTON, Jan 15. (Reuter): The US government today reported a sharp drop in the trade deficit for November. touching off a powerful rally in world financial markets.

The Commerce Department said the trade gap narrowed to \$13.22 billion from October's record 17.63 billion thanks to a surge in exports and a drop in

imports. The figure, the smallest deficit in six months and far better than the \$15 billion that economists had forecast, immediately reassured traders worried that another poor trade figure would cause havoc in the financial markets.

### Surged

The dollar surged more than three per cent against major currencies, interest rates tumbled and Wall Street stocks soared as the markets read the report as evidence that America was finally getting its financial bouse in

The Dow Jones industrial average jumped more than 50 points in early trading to around 1,970.

The Reagao administration also cheered. The drop in the trade deficit is

welcome news." Trade Representative Clayton Yeutter said in a statement. It is rarely possible to generalise from only one montb's

figures, but the November report would seem to indicate that the buge rise in the October deficit was an aberration," he said. With American exports boom-

ing, he said there was no reason for Congress to pass a protecuonist trade bill "All the fundamentals remain in place for the deficit to decline

further in 1988. There is never a good time to erect protectionist trade barriers, but this would clearly be the worst possible time to do so." Yeutter said. Inflation The government had more

good news today, reporting that inflation remained subdued in December even though the nation's factories continued to pump out more goods. The Labour Department said

prices at the wholesale level

dropped by a surprising 0.3 per

ceot in December after being unchanged in November. The department

wholesale prices for all of 1987 increased by 2.2 per cent after declining by 2.3 per cent in 1986. Prices for goods at the wholesale level are now about the same as they were in December 1985.

Industrial production, meanwhile, rose 0.2 per cent in December after rising 0.4 per cent in November and 1.1 per cent in October, the Federal Reserve Board said.

Output of consumer goods was little changed, rising 0.1 per cent in December as widespread increases in production of bow goods, especially appliances, was offset by decimes in car production, the Fed said. The Commerce Department

also reported that US husiness inventories rose by \$5.57 hillion or 0.8 per cent, in November to a seasonally adjusted 695.50 billion. If goods continued to pile up on the shelves, factories would eventually be forced to cut back production.

But it was the trade report that excited the markets. Because

economists have blamed global trade imbalances - especially the US deficit - for the recent turmoil in the foreign exchange and stock markets, traders and policymakers alike bad heen nervously awaiting today's figures.

The government reported improvements across the board. US exports rose 9.4 per cent to a record \$23.80 hillion in November, the clearest sign yet that the three-year drop in the dollar has made US manufacturers more competitive on world markets.

The deficit in manufactured goods narrowed to \$12.22 billion in November from 15.52 billion in October.

Commerce Department officials said exports of aircraft. power generators and chemicals contributed to the record export performance in November. The revious record was \$22.9 billion in March 1981.

There was also a marked improvement on the other side of the nation's trade ledger, with imports dropping 6.0 per cent to \$37.02 hillion.

Ruding hits failure to defend dollar

### IMF chief flays US

WASHINGTON, Jan 15, (AP): A leader of the International Monetary Fund sharply criticised the United States and other leading financial countries yesterday for failing to keep up the price of the dollar as they promised almost a year ago. He urged that the United

States raise interest rates. Higher interest in this country would help push up the dollar hy attrac-ting funds from other countries. Referring

Netherlands Finance Minister H. Onno Ruding heads the Fund's interim committee, its top authority for day to day husiness among the 152 member governments. He was referring to the "Louvre agreement" in Paris last February by Treasury Secretary James A. Baker III and his counterparts from Japan, West Germany, Britain, France,

Italy, and Canada.
The agreement said the dollar should be kept at about current levels. Since then it has fallen about 18 percent against the Japanese yen, and about 11 per

Pakistan investment companies

cent against the West German mark. Low prices for the dollar cut the income of those countries and others which depend beavily on exports. "A country like (West) Ger-

many may go into a slump, Ruding told reporters.

He said he had favoured a fall in the dollar, but that about a year ago it bad fallen far enough, Stability had also been promised in later statements, he pointed Insufficient

#### They did not deliver because of insufficient changes in domestic policy," he said.

He criticised West Germany for failing to lower its interest rates, a move that would have the same international effect as a rise in US rates; it would send more money to huy dollars in the United States, thus pushing up the price of the dollar. Ruding said his own country bad repeatedly lowered its own interest rates. Another drop was announced yesterday hy the

CAIRO, Jan 15. (API: Egypt decreased the price of its grade Gulf of Suez crude b cents to \$15 per barrel for the two weeks of January, by decision on the prices of its o three blends bas been postpo an oil ministry source said ye

**Egypt cuts** 

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The source, who spoke on dition of anonymity, said-interdepartmental price-set committee bad not reache decision on the prices of Bela-Ras Badran and Ras Gha and would meet again on?

For the first two weeks of pary, the price of Belayans, \$15.05 a barrel, Ras Badran \$14.55 a barrel and Ras Gha was \$13.95 a harrel.

The source noted that. present situation left the grade Gulf of Suez sell cheaper than the second gra Belayim. Oil ministry offici were not immediately availal for comment.

### Debtor nations short of cash turn increasingly to barter

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): Someone, traders' folklore says, once bartered the skeleton of a Mongolian dinosaur for West German trucks.

The Saudis swapped oil for Tornado warplanes. Honduras exchanged bananas for Soviet fertiliser. Barter, the world's oldest form

of trade, is enjoying a new lease of life in the 1980s. And one reason, economists say, is that many nations are strapped for hard currency.

"The volume of countertrade has a lot to do with the fact that everyone is owing money. They don't have the foreign exchange needed for cash deals," said Jonathan Bell, research manager for Baus Ltd, a London firm providing trade information and research.

### Countertrade

Modern countertrade is a complex business, involving not just bartering goods for goods the way early civilisations did before people invented money, but various other kinds of reciprocal trade agreement 100.

There is 'huyback' for instance, where a firm gives a country technology and agrees to be paid in goods it produces.
In "counterpurchase," the

seller huys something from the buyer in exchange. "Offset" involves an exporter agreeing to incorporate in his final product some part or parts produced by the importing country.

The extent of countertrade, long favoured by Communist countries, is hard to measure. Depending who you ask, it could account for anything from eight to 25 per cent of world trade.

The bead of countertrade at a large British company said it made up a tiny proportion of its total exports but between 50 and 100 per cent of sales to problem

### Shrinking

"I think sellers in the 1990s are going to find rapidly shrinking area to export into where hard currency is available as payment, he said.

The debt crisis meant demand for countertrade was increasing as Communist and Third World exporters faced the problem of how else they could fund

"My view is that it is not going to get any better," the executive

"I believe that in the 1990s we shall all be searching for alter-native ways to do business, not necessarily through countertrade, but through more creative ways of selling - buyers helping sellers find outlets for their goods, more goodwill."

Traders often use barter to get round quota agreements, market

sources said. They said Uganda produces more than its annual International Coffee Organisation (ICO) export quota of 142,800 tonnes and barters the surplus with non-ICO countries in the Communist bloc and Third World.

Lihya is supplying Uganda with \$6 million worth of oil in exchange for 3,000 tonnes of cof-

### Fixed

Members of the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (Opec) use barter to evade organisation fixed pricing agreements.

Oil is a relatively serviceable means of exchange as the size, sophistication and efficiency of the world market means it can be converted into cash fairly casily.

Saudi Arabia bartered 400.000 barrels per day of crude oil to Shell and British Petroleum to pay for Tornado and other warplanes worth \$8 billion from Britain in June.

Opec does not approve of barter, but many of its member countries do it. Jonathan Bell at London's Bau's Ltd said.

He also said that the International Mnnetary Fund (IMF) "are on a downer on any kind of countertrade, but they will give their tacit approval to offset deals. They tend to ask why goods can't be sold for cash which could then be used 10 pay off dehts to them or other

KARACHI, Jan 15, (Reuter): Pakistan's small investors can' either put their money in the banks - annual return 12 to 16 r cent — or they can opt for illicit private investment companies paying anywhere from 50

to 150 per cent. Not surprisingly, the banks are losing out. They are in theory not allowed to charge interest at all as it is banned under Islamic banking rules.

### Devised

And, although they have devised ways of paying investors a return. such as profit-and-loss sbare accounts, the rewards from the private players are so much higher that people are flocking to

They are convenient, profitable and totally illegal, operating under the nose of the State (Central) Bank with no books, no taxes and no government con-

Bankers estimate several hundred companies regularly pay out interest at clients' doors. The more brazen even advertise in the The banks, state-owned since 1973, are up in arms about it. On

January 7 the head of the Kara-

chi Stock Exchange called for government action. Two days later Finance Minister Yasin Khan Wattoo said the State Bank and corporate law authority were taking steps to put a stop to the practice. He promised 'severe' measures but

Jahan Ara, 38. a housewife with five children at school,

gave no details.

invested 20,000 rupees (\$1,140)... to boost the income from her textile-worker husband's 1,850rupee (\$1051 monthly pay. She says her investment yields seven per cent a montb.

"A man delivers a small, white envelope containing 1,400 rupees (\$80) at my doorstep in the second week of every month. without needing any signature," she says. "I use 1,000 rupees (\$57) a month to repay a loan and spend the rest."

Thousands of other people in Karachi bave pulled nest-eggs out from under the mattress, tempted by the interest rates. Others have encashed stocks, sold property and withdrawn their savings from hank accounts, say stock and estate

every month on our investments make a profit."

estate and construction business. where annual returns rise as high as 100 per cent.

### High rates

### Delivers

"We get up to 10 per cent profit

and pay back up to seven per cent," says investment company owner Abdul Razzaq. "We sull Most of the funds are invested in Karachi's flourishing reol-

Despite a creaking infrastructure and occasional ethnic riots, the port city of over seven million is something of a boom town. It has close links with the Gulf and attracts up to 250,000 migrants. mainly from inside Pakistan, each year.

high rates to industrialists and importers unable to obtain capital from the government's banks because of tight credit

#### Stock and estate dealers say some cash undouhtedly ends up in illegal businesses but little goes

Dutch central bank,

into Karachi's flourishing drugs Bankers say the thriving illicit business is hampering government efforts to raise Pakistan's chronically low investment level, seen by both economists and the state bank as a major obstacle to

national economic development. "It has definitely drained out money from savings accounts,' said a hranch manager of one of

#### the five nationalised banks. Withdrawn

"Most of the small depositors have drawn money," another said. "We want more money in the savings accounts to extend loans to deserving people setting up industries."

Illegal and unethical deposit grabbers should be throughly and strictly scrutinised and brought under income tax and corporate investment rules without which none should be allowed to operate," fulminated the stock exchange's new president, Bashir Jan Mohammad, in bis maugural speech.

Not everyone sees the private companies as a threat. Some bankers say they have lured away only a small production of the banks' husiness.

A government economist also said the companies did not pose a

them would abscond with the investors deposits and the vi police for belp.

Several companies indeed vanished with the clients' funds, according to Sta Bank officials. But the tightl run illegal husinesses still prosp and without government activ

there seems little doubt they w continue to do so. Profit-conscious Pakistan are more inclined to put the cash into such high-yield cor panies than into bouseho goods, books and luxury item:

The banks are hurdened by 1 rampant horeaucracy, corru tion, restrictions of politic patronage and heavy-hand government rules which bede the economy. They cannot copete.

### Deposits

Top rate of return is 18 per ce a year, on five-year deposi Bankers say the private compa ies pay up to 13 per cent a mon though four to seven per cen

the norm.

Babrain, Singapore and Hc Kong to invest in the ille Karachi market. They repay the forei

Some would-be investors ha

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market or by boying perfer legal foreign exchange bes certificales. "The money is rolling on

### Some of the money is lent at Japan's knife-and-fork capital grapples with strong yen woes

TSUBAME. Japan, Jan 15, (Reuter): For nearly a century, the mainstay of Tsubame has been its knife-and-fork business. but in the land of chopsticks it has always depended on exports

When the yen started its

dramatic rise two years ago, it

to stay alive.

dealt a body blow to the cutlery industry in this northern Japan-"Endaka" (the bigh yen) raised the price of Japan's exports. Some Japanese industries did better than others. thanks partly to ample domestic

of Tsubame weren't so lucky. Punch the yen went sky-high,

demand. But the curtlery makers

"We got a double punch when Tsubame city official Tomiei Takahashi said.

Now the town is fighting back

with a new production policy

boosting domestic sales and a

marketing campaign that has publicised Tsubame as far afield

Takahashi.

as New York. But recent years have been tough. Even before the Japanese currency rose to postwar highs. Tsubame's livelihood as cutlerymakers was threatened by competition from lower-wage rivals South Korea and Taiwan, said

but the 'endaka' things got infinitely worse," he said. Bankrupt Tsubame, a town of 44,000 people which in 1985 exported some 85 per cent of its cutlery, felt

the shock almost immediately

after the dollar began its slide in

They were cutting into our

husiness even before 'endaka',

September 1985. Orders plummeted, and row after row of workshops were closed as workers were laid off. In 1986, the president of a failing cutlery company committed suicide on the eve of his firm's

Two other major cutlery mak-

ers also went bankrupt, and about 10 changed to other lines of business entirely to survive, said Kiyoshi Ohhashi of Tsubame's Japan Metal Cutlery Industry Association, the

exports drop 13.6 per cent in 1985, and a further 26.7 per cent in 1986. Many shops and restaurants on Tsubame's main shopping

Tsubame saw its cutlery

cutlery workers union.

street have gone out of business. Camera show owner Masahiro Kubota is one of the last merchants still in husiness on his block. "It's been depressing from

the beginning, but now it's only

getting worse," he complained.

Took care

low at about 300 from the indus-

try's total workforce of about

In this close-knit community

where practically everyone

6.000 people. Ohhashi said.

But unemployment among cutlery makers is surprisingly

knows each other, the safety net was held out for redundant silverware makers who were able to land jobs in the neighbourhood workshops and factories.

The farms surrounding

Tsubame took care of some dis-

placed workers. "A lot of these

guys are lucky — they have rice fields out back so they know they'll at least bave food," said colleague Shiro Kaneko. But the cruel reality was that Tsubame had to rethink its ageold dependence on exports if it

was to survive.

As a stop-gap measure, manufacturers reduced their exportoriented production to 65 per cent and thus yielded a growing share of the lower-priced stainless steel market to South Korea and Taiwan, Kaneko said. Tactic

Instead, they're concentrating

on manufacturing higher-

quality stainless goods, a field in

which the newly industrialised

nations are not yet competitive Another tactic is to turn Tsubame's traditional strength in metal-working towards mnre viable - and less export-reliant - areas like auto parts and

medical equipment, Kaneko

Yet another strategy is to mount a public relations campaign to beat the drum for Tsubame. Kaneko and Ohhashi recently took the Tsubame case on the

November they opened a permanent cutlery exhibit. The exhibit puts them alongside the top sterling silverware makers of the world like US silversmiths Gorham and

Oneida.

road to New York, where in

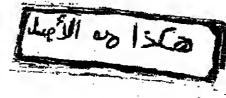
"It does nobody any good to sit around and moan about the dollar dropping," Ohhashi said. This way we're out there right next to the big boys, showing them we're still very much around."

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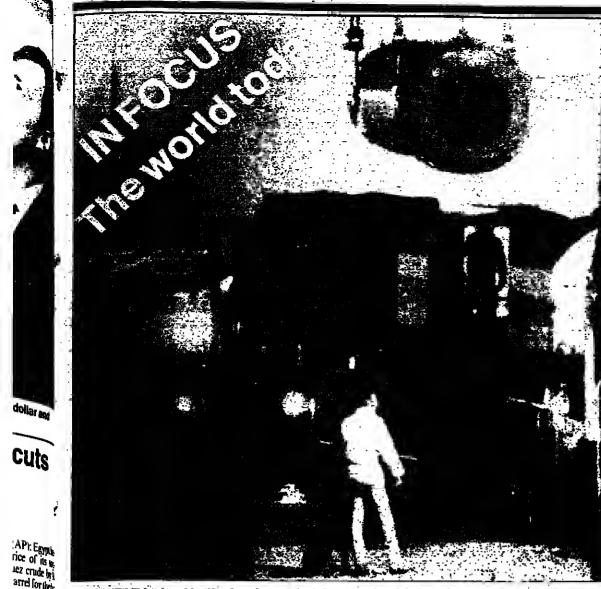
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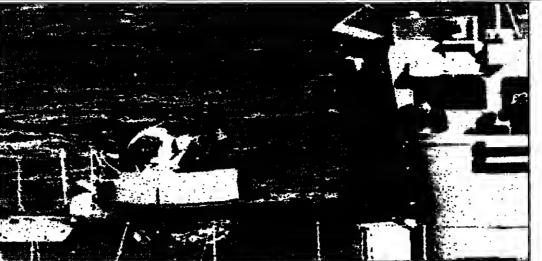
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COSTA RICAN Prealdent Oscar Arlas speaks at a press conference in San Jose on Thursday before the start of the Central American Presidents Summit meeting. Arias said the summit was the last chance for peace in Central America. (Reuter wirephoto)



BRITISH Liberal Party leader David Steel (left) and Social Democrats leader Robert MacClennan appear at a press conference on Wednesday. Tha proposed merger of tha two parties ground to a halt after leading Liberals revolted against a proposed



AN iranian officer looks through his binoculars at reporters in a helicopter hovering nearby while a gunnar sits behind his machine gun abroad an iranian frigate salling in the southern Gulf on Thursday. Just a few miles away, the Liberian chemical tankar 'Petrobulk Pioneer' was anchored after it was attacked by an iranian gunboat early Thursday. It was the first time the Iranians had allowed a helicopter carrying Western raporters based in the Guif to approach so naar. (Reuter wirephoto)



CARLOTA SURESCA, 13, who was hit by stray bullets when unidentified gunman ambushed a mayoral candidate on Thursday while campaigning for the forthcoming local elections this month in the Philippines. A woman bystander was killed which brought to 80 the number of fatalities in election related incidents. (Reuter wirephoto)



WEST GERMAN Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher is greeted by Syrian counterpart Farouk Ai Sharaa (right) on his arrival at Damascua airport at the start of an official visit to Syria. (Reuter wirephoto)



TAIWAN'S naw President Li Teng Hui (above left) shakes hands with viaiting US Congressman John Rockefeller IV, his first official function since assuming office on Wednesday. (Below), Taiwan citizens read newspapers carrying the news of the death of President Ching Kuo, one of the major architects of Taiwan's "economic miracle" during the 1950's and 1960's. (Reuter wirephoto).





KATARINA WITT of East Germany in action to win the ladiea' short programme of the European Figure Skating Championshipa in Prague on Wedneaday. Witt ia European champion for the aixth tima. (Reuter wirephoto)



TUNISIAN Prime Minister Hedi Baccouche (left) is greeted by French counterpart Jacques Chirac on arrival in Paris for an official visit yesterday. (Reuter wirephoto)



THE Duchess of York, wife of Queen Elizabeth's second son, Andrew, is expecting her first child in July, the English newspaper 'The Sun' reports. Buckingham Palace officials would make no comment on the front-page story. (Reuter wirephoto)



HAITIAN Army armoured personnel carrier patrols the streets of downtown Port au Prince on Thursday morning. As Jan 17 presidential elections near, the military has maintained a high profile in this Caribbean nation. (Reuter wirephoto)

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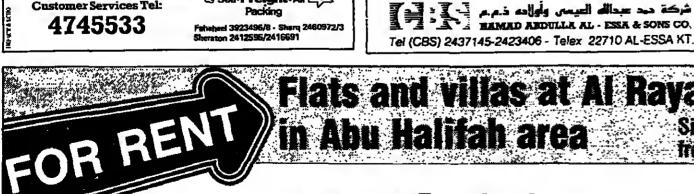
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تیار تھے مگر حکران یارٹی کمی بات پر آبادہ تی تھی تھی نہ صرف مجمد وسين كي التي بلك مستعقبل عن كونى وعده كرف ك التي بحى ألى الله شاه محد اعبان مرف صلع كونسل كم يتيترين متخب و مح بلكه انس ليك فوشي اور ملى كدان كے تريف قوى اسميلى كاس علاقے سركن كابيا مونے کے کیس میں طوث ہو کیالا کھول کروڑوں روپ کا سونا تعارت سمكل كرف واف كروه ك اركان و يكزب مے مرفالد بھی بھاگ میااور ایمی تک بولیس است پکڑنس سكاس كالك بعائى يملى والمرس بخالد كالك بم ذاف دقاق حکومت میں اعلیٰ ترین افسر میں۔ اس کے دالد نے جب ملک شاہ محرا موان کے مقابلہ میں قبی اسمیلی کا التخلب جيئاتفاتواس افسرنے اپنے ہم زلف کے والد کی بحر پور مدد کی تقی اب این ہم زلف کی گماں تک مدد کریں كى الحال بم اس بار عص بحد كين كي يوزيش بي نس ديد مى سون كاسطلب كوئى معمولى بلت تحوزي بال آب يس اكركوني سونا جاعدي ركمتاب واس ك لئ باكتان يس رفاى منعتول كيايم بس سوايد كارى كابمت الجماموقدت حكومت بملى دفد في شعدكو اس منعت مي مراليد كاري كاموقد ديندواني باس وقت دفای صنعت بر سرکاری اجاره داری بادر سرکار چھوٹے بتھیار بر آ مد کر کے کانی روپ کماری ہے تی شعبہ ے لوگ اس شعبہ على منعت لكائس محراضي خام مال يش نيكس دغيره كي چموث دي جائے گي اس دفت خي شعبه مرف برزت وفيره تياركر رباسباب است كمل بتعيار بنائ كااجازت الخوالى باوريه شعبدانياب جسيس مجمعي محسى كونفنسان شيس بوا-

دومری فوشخری بہ ہے کہ پاکستان میں خام تمل کی مقاى مقداري اضاف بورباياس وقت بما عدون ملك ے تیس براد برل فام تل روزانہ تکال رہے میں ایک مال تك يه مقدار برد كر چاليس بزار بيل دو داند بوجائ كى جارى اس وقت أيك ون كى حام يل كى مرورت وي بزارييل باس طرح اب بمروزانه تعزيزار بيل فام تل بابرے متحوارے بیں دعاکریں سے مقدار اوے برار بیل

التخابات س بست كاميابيان عاصل كى بين ال ك بينونى فیمل آباد کے بیتر متحب ہو گئے میں اور متحب ہوتے ہی ا نمول نے دفائی دزیر مملکت راجہ نادر برویز کو وزارت اور ملم لیگ سے نکالے کا مطالبہ کر دیا ہے راجہ ناور بدين في مرك التقاب عن يعبدر ترطى كالقدى تحیاب مسلم لیک مس مس کو دزارت اور مسلم لیگ ہے تا لے کی تقریباً سب می جگول پر سلم نیک ے ارکان دو گردیول بن تقتیم مصاور ایک گروپ پاکستان پیپازیار فی کے ساتھ جل رباقامیانوانی لدیہ کاؤ مرراہ یمی پیلز بارٹی کاے اور مسلم لیگ کے روکزی کروپ کی تمایت ہے شخف بواب اكرردكري كروب ك خلاف كاررداني كى جاتى بومسلم ليك كوايك سينيرلك ركن قوى اسميلي اور ایک راکن صوبائی اسمیلی کے خلاف کدروائی کر ؛ بر میلی

موجرانواله مس ميزك انتخاب كيورجو جلوس تكالا حمیاس کے شرکاء نے پیلز بارٹی اور بے نظمے زندہ باو کے نعرے الکے اس ملے میں کہ میر صاحب بیلز یار فی ہے تعلق ركمت تقهود والية كومسلم ليكسى كابنده كيتم بين لیکن متخبوه پاکتان پیپلزیارتی کے کونسفروں کی حمایت ے ہوئے بیں ان کے تالف کر دب کے سب بی لوگ برانے مسلم لی تھے اور انسیں سابق دنیر اور مسلم لی ظام وعيرى مررسى حاصل تنى كى حال تقريباب مكه بوابر عكم مسلم ليك والعى ليك دوسرك كالتابل كرري تق لابود هلع كونسل كے جيئرين كے لئے تو باكستان مسلم ليك ك محروب باكتان بيلز بارتى كربهما لك معراج فالد كيجيج ملك ثماه محراموان كوابتانا بزار ملك ثماه محر بمل پیلزیارئی کی طرف جارے تھے لیکن جب انہوں نے دیکھا كدم كلو كلمائذ وسيفت توجيزين ل جلنة كي يتلزيارتي كيادت كى توده چيريكن بين يرداسى ويك ميال يوى راضی تو کیا کرے گا قاضی۔ جب دونوں فرن راضی ہو گئے تولك معراج خالد كماكر كت محصورة خاموش مورب بيران كدد مرسد مورد إدال كونسل قسور على مركارى بارقى كامقابله كياادد برى طرح بارك ده محى مجمود كيل

جانكيريد وكويدير يارقي يغاب كى صدارت سىسىدوش كفي المكان

پاکستنان می خام تسیل کی بیداداریس افست

عادت ساس لت كماجادباب كر فوش يختى كاير ندوان كي زیان کے فوف سے کمی اور قاموش طیخ برش تعیب کے مرر من سكاب ليكن برعد أمى تك لادركي فضاوى ب

ب نظير شادي ك معروفيات سے قدر في بوت عماليادر پچی کش تھیں او حرے قارقے ہو کر انا ہور اور پنجاب آئیں کی تورعه کی کے مروبیٹے گا اس وقت تک چندیاتی ان لو کول کے بارے میں ان لیس دواحقاب جیت کر کرسیوں ي بين هي بين ال الوكول بين مب ى خال ك بجائ تعتل کو مائے رکھا ہاور آکدہ عام انتظارت کے خوقست وي اور موائي اسميل كاركان كسفوزيك بجائة هلع كونسل كاجيزين واكار موريش كاميز بنايسند كيا بوقاقي دزير منعت يوبدري شجاعت حسين ساليك روز بم نے بوچھا کہ آپ کے کرن چیدری برور الی نے وزارت يرضلع كوتسل كى مرواى كيول يبتدكي وانمول ت عایا کدامل بجد وضلح کونسل کے مرداہ کے باس بوآ ا عند كونى مرك يوالور ركوامكم المجود مرك ياس كيا المحا واعظ ملقد كولول اوروو ثرول كملت بحد ضم كرسك چیزین سب کے کر مکتاب استے مال سے استخاب کی تاریال شروع ،وجائی گیاس لئے ہم فےصوبائی وزارت كى بجائ صلح كونسل كوابم سمجما كونك ويث وبمي ديس ے لیں ہے۔ اب حومت یہ فیملہ کر چکی ہے کہ کوئی وزير ملع كونسل كامريراه نسي بوسكناس كامطلب يبوا كميال نواز شريف كاليك اور تطروش كياان ك ظاف م ویرا لئی تیمرے کا زینائے اور وزارے اٹلی سے انگ کرنے كى توكيك خواجم بوك الاطرح سيال واز مرعف ف بلدياتي



واسب زاده تصرابته تمان

کر ماکام شیر ایک کے شام این سے کا مرب کے

ورميان حايداتن ورابين كاذكر كريد ووعظاه قد

نے کما کہ دواوں مکوں کے حکام کے درمیان دورول کے

تادسا وطرف تعاون كفردغ كاليك حسيس معودي

فرانروائ كوئى وضاحت كي بني وقتع ظاهركي كدشام ك

فالج كلاعث يس كى - انول فايك سوال يمتاياك معر

کے صدد حتی میارک کا قلیح کا حالیہ دورہ بمتر تاکئے کا

جماز میں شالی کور یا سے امران کیٹی ہے جو مین کا لیک

اتحادي لك برامركي كومت كي طرف سي يكن يرمتعة

بارزور وباجاجكاب كدوه ايران كوسيد طورير سلكسوورم

میراکلوں کی فروخت مرکر دے جو نوے کلومیشر کے قاصلے

تكساركرن كالميت مكتيس ملك ودم يراكل يس

مدجودایک بزار بوع کا کوله بحری جمازوں کو بعاری تقصال

بینیانے کے طاوہ انسیں تاہ کرنے کی المیت رکھتا ہے۔

چین کی طرف سے ایران کومیزاکوں کی فرد است کی تردید کی

بقير مين كي ترديد

یں حرب اور اسمامی نصب الحنین کے حق بیس بهترین

بدر ے مجی کم لوگ منجائے ہیں۔ شرکے امیر کیر طبقہ ت تعلق ر محتے ہیں۔ مغربی طرزی معاشرت کے عامی اور عال بيران كى والده بعى مغربي بي فيض احد فيض مرحوم كى برطانوی دوی کیدی من بید ان محدوالد واکثر ماثیر مرحوم بحى يز او كول اور او يول يس سے ميال اير الدین کے خاندان سے تھے ایم او کائے امر تمریس برحاتے تے اور فیض مرحوم ان کے اتحت ہوتے تھو ہی ان کے محریں فیش کی ملاقات اس خاتین سے ہوئی جس ہے انهول فيعدش شادى كرلى اس طرح سلمان آ تيريدانشي طور پر بدے آوی بی قروق لفاری بنواب کے برے جا كيرداردل يس سے بين ان كى جا كيردى تى خان بين اور ر إئش لا مور يس ب يأكستان ميلز يارني جب عومت يس آئى توده افسرشاي مى يتع بعدش متشقى بوكر ساست بين آمين اور پاکستان ميلز يارني في اسي منظير مناويا- سجه مومہ یاکستان پیلز یارٹی کے سکرٹری جزل بھی رہے ان ونول مرف زميداري اور جا كيرداري جاة رسير بن رادً رشید کو آپ جانے ی بی بنجاب کے آئی می بولیس کے عمدهست فارغ موسقى ذوالفقارعلى يحشو كواتى كافظاور مشير بنادية محتنص ان تيول اميد دارول ين سامك معراج خالدادران مے كروب كى تعابت راؤر شيدى كو

حاصل ہے مران میں آھے سے صاف بات کد وسینے کی

تكستريت وي مايكي باورجواني كاركر وكي يرد ١٩٨٥ءاور

عماه من تمة مامل كريك بيد دري الناوجوني

كورياكي مكومت في اين أي ملاليد كياب كم

معدت كانكمار كراوراس متعويد يس لموت افرادكو

مزادے۔ بنولی کوریا کے دررو وائ چنگ بولیک فام

فلی یونوں کوج کارسینے کی بوایت کرتے ہوئے کماہے کہ

الله كورياء كم بيون مولى ك اقبال بيان ك بعد فوى

اشتعال الميري كرسكاب. انسول في كماكد ينوني كورياي

مكومت مكذ جوالى اقدالت يرخور كررى ب ماهم انهول

اهلیتوں کے الک میں۔ انوں نے عرب اور اسلای

مكول يردورو ياكروه اس مقصد كي حصيل كر لئ فلسطيني

عوام کیارا وش اضافہ کردیں۔ شاہ فندے توقع ظاہری کہ

مرب مکول کے مختف سیای رویئے ' سعودی عرب کی

جانب يرين العرب اختلاقات كونتم كران كي كوششول

مة اس كى د ضاحت شيس كى -

بن*ن*ه ش*اه دنب* 

شانی کوریا مسافر طیارے کی وحشیات جاتی کے واستے

القيدة معتوين كورتا

سے چھٹی ہونےوالی ہے۔ بے نظیر نے ان کی جگہ کسی اور کو

يارثى كامدد مترد كرنے كافيعل كرلياہے۔ اب نوش يختى

کایہ برغدہ کس کے سربر بیٹے گا؟ پارٹی کے بست اوگ

ابتالها مربيش كرن كم لتشب يكن بي اب تك سلمان

مَّا ثِيرُ كَارُوقِ لِغَارِي اور را ذَرشيد كلنام سيست. بلندي\_\_

سلمان آ تیرے کارکن رہمایں عداء سے مملے ان کا

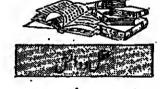
نام تک کوئی شیں جانیاتھا ہے بھی کار کول پیر ان کوجما تھیر

پاکستان کی دونوں بری ساس پارٹیاں دو الگ الگ مهرمان الاوجم فرلم معتشين كامول على معروف بين ياكستان مسلم نيك بلدياتي اوارول ہم نے آسان ونیا کو آرول کی زینت سے ك مريرا بول ك التخلب من ياكستان يتينز يار في دوالعقار أراسته کیاہے اور ہر شیطان مرکش ہے اس کو علی بعثومردم کی مالکرہ کے کیک کائے میں۔ یاکستان متلزيارنى كريو يريدر بتماجوا تكلي مم كرووان محقوظ کر دیاہے۔ كميس أيمضه وكحائي تسير وسيتستصان كي سافكره كي تقريبات (سوروصفت آیت۲-۷) ش مب أيك بي تقوير ش د كهائي دين كي جدوجد ش تصروف رہب آکہ مرکزی قیادت اور کار کنوں میں حاضری لك جائة والققار على بعثومر وم اور ان كے قائدان سے دفاداری کالیقین دلایا جاسکے بنجاب پیپلزیارٹی کے سربراہ جمأتكيريدران تقريبات من بمت كم دكماني وين بينظيري شادی سے واپسی کے بعد سے دہ مم تم سے رہے ہیں ان کی ای تمشد کی سے اندازہ کیاجارہا ہے کدان کی اعزد صدارت

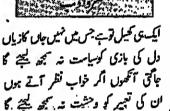


حسرت مائشة بيان كرتي بن كه جب اس كى يارى كى رات أب وبال آيام فرمائية تورات کے آخری حمد میں بقیم الغرقد قبرستان کی طرف زیارت کے لئے تشریف لے جاتے اور انسیں فرماتے کہ تم پر سلامتی ہو۔ تم موسن لوگ ہو تممارے اس وہ چر آ بھی ہے جس کا تم سے وعدہ کیا حمیا تھا۔ (مھین مدت تک)

وُحَمِلُ ویئے مجھے ہواور ہم بھی انشاء اللہ تهارك ماتح ملتواليس اسالله بقيع الغرقدوالول كومعاف قرمايه



آومى تكبرت شير تواشح يدابهوآب



(محسن محویالی)

🗆 ۱۹۳۲ء ..... کورٹرائے بلجثیم نے فرانسيى فزج كے مامنے ہتھيار ڈال ديئے 🗖 ۲۲۲ ء ..... فرانس نے 'جوہالینڈ کااتحاری تھا'اتھتان کے خلاف لڑائی کااعلان کیا۔ 🗆 ١٨١٦ء ..... ير تكال كى جنوني امريك ين نو آبادیات برازیل ایک علیحده مملکت بن مخی 🗖 ١٩٣١ء ..... تأنجيرا من مجر جزل أكوئي ارونی نے بیا اعلان کرتے ہوئے اقتدار برقبند كراميا كليجاوت كيل وي محى ب 🗀 ١٩٢٩ء .....روى كوسمونانس فيداريردو باترتيب واكثول ساينا يسالطاب كيا-

🗀 اے19ء ..... برازیل میں سوکس سفارت کار کو ۴۰ روز قید میں رکھنے کے بعد اغوا کتندگان نے اسے چموڑ دی<u>ا</u> 🗌 ۱۹۷۳ء.....امریکداور چنوبی ویت نام نے مكمل امن مجموعة كي اميدش فائر بندى كالعلان

🗔 ۱۹۷۹ء.....ایران کے شاہ محدرضایبلوی نے ' با دلیسنٹ ٹس ٹی حکومت سننے کے بعد ' ملك ست راه فرارا ختيار كي ـ

الراجع المات کورٹی رینار کے مقالبے میں غیر مکلی

کرنسیوں کی قیمت حسب ذیل رہی۔ پاکستانی روپے (ایک ہزار) ۲۵۵–۱۵ بھارتی روپے (ایک بزار) ×۹۹ – ۲۰ سری لنکا رویے (ایک بزار) ۸-۹۱۰ امر عي والر (ايك بزار) ٥٥٠-٢٧٣ ياؤنذ اسرنتك (ايك بزار) ١٥٠-١٠٥

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قلمانی چیو (ایک بزار) ۱۳-۲۱۰

٠٠ \_ افتتاحی اعلان ٥٠ \_ ٢ ملاوت قرآن كريم ١٠ ـ ٤ بمترين قبل ١١ ـ ٤ يروكرام كا خلاصہ ١٧- ٤ گانے ٣٠- ٤ اخبارول ك تراثے ۳۰ \_ عائزہ ۰۰ \_ م خبرس ۱۵ \_ ۸ آج كالتخاب ٢٠- ٨ كان ١٥٥ مرني سيكي ٢٠ مردتك ٠٠ ما تقتام

ے مدرر مین فائار اندازه طاہر کیاہ۔ وائٹ اوس كاطرفست قوليت امريك كاطرفست ياكتان كونوتي اور اقتصادی اعانت کے طور پر ۴۸۰ ملین ڈالر کی ارا دی قرابی كاراه صاف بوجائكي - ووسرى طرف ايك خريس يناياميا

صورت حال سے عدد فلیج تعاون کونسل کے رکن الکول کے نیڈررل نے کزشتہ مایا ہی آنمویں سربراہ کافرنس کے ووران متحدہ عرب ارات کے صدر فیخ ڈا تدین سلطان کی اس تجویز کی آئید کی تھی کد ایران کے ساتھ مراکرات شروع کے جاتے جائیں۔ تعاون کوٹسل نے متحدہ عرب المرات سے کماتھا کہ وہ اس سالے کی بیروی کرے۔ جناب سيف معيد في بالاكرار ان اور فليح تعاون كولسل كركن مكول كررميان بات جيت عالياوزرائ فارجه کی سلم یر ہوگی۔ انہوں نے بتایا کدام ان اصوبی طور براس ات چیت میں شرکت پر رضامند ہوچکا نے مین اس بات بيت كي لترا مال كمي مارخ كالعين نس بوسكا-

(۲۰۱ر حوری تا ۱۸ ر فردری )

ہوگی۔ اخراجات کو قابر ہے باہر نہ ہونے ویں۔ اگر

آپ دومرول کی نقل کرنے کی کوشش کریں مے نواجی

مخصيت سے بھی محردم موجائي كيد آپ فيتودهده

كياب يا آب سي جوتقع ب اس بيرا كرير

( ۱۹، رزدری تا ۱۹، ماری )

چاند کے بھر اثرات اور زبرہ کے اثرات آپ کو

اہنے کام میں مددویں کے لیکن آپ کو بخت محت کرنا

وكى- كى تتمكى التاليدى إمباط آرائى يجي

(۲۰/ماريع تامارايرل)

معقوليت كاستفابره كرين

ري- لجكداوروياناس

آب كواسية الى معاملات كي طرف زياده توجه دينا

میکر متری چنزل ماراک گولندیک ان و نول متیومند علاقوں کے

بنيد . نيليج تعاون كوتسل ايران

منتهجه جناب سیف سعید کے نتایا کہ ہمیں امران کی

جانبست بواب موصول بواب ليكن اس كالعلق تليجى

ووزست يرييس-

(۲۰ردسمبرتا ۱۹رجنوری) كونسل كى دوسرى قرارداد كى تحت مقبوضه علاقيل كى وتع يسرآن كال آب كاذاتي مورت حال بمترى كا رخ اختیاد کرے گی۔ یہ نہ مجمیل کہ مرف آپ بی بمترين افكار كمالك بي- خرسكاني كامظابره كري-

تأسنا كالذير يكركمو إكشا فأركك ماتونم توني كيف كرائ يرستاب عدارناد فن ٥٠٩٠٩ د ٢٠)

الران كالم يعليم ماهت كريراكل في كريسايمي كي متعدد جماز شانی کوریاست ایران پینی میکی جی۔ امریکی حکام كاكماع كدان كے ياس اس دعوے كے تحوس ثيوت مودود میں جوانسیں احملی جس فی طرف سے معیا سے معیمان بتيه . بتنظروليشس

لي جاني من بيد امري ودارت وقاع كديكام كاكما يدك

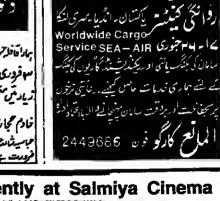
دوران متعدو بروئی تجارتی اور انتصادی وفود کے رورے ملتوی کر دسیة محت بی - امریکه ی سندر یار سرمایه کاری كرف وانى فى كارايريش ك ايك وفد كو كرشت وميري يكلسولش كادوره كرناته الميكن به روره ملتوى كرنا يزار الوان تجارت ومنعت فالميام ومدين متنبه كيام كداكر موجوده سای سائل علند کے محے اور سنعتی تضاء پرسور نامواقن يونى قامت يوند بذكرنا يزي ك\_

بنير دنستجاني ری سے بتران رفیر کے مطابق ایرانی یا دلیمند شد کے مينكر المتى وضغا فاسفره وحمكي تهران ويوكشي عرجع

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(۲۲رآگست" ۱۱رمستمیر) آپ کی طرف سے دومروں کی حمایت کارتمان رے کا۔ آپ خاص مالات سے اقدام کرنے ش

آمانی محسوس کریں ہے۔ چھوٹے ہے مگر ہے مستلے کو بدترنه عاش بكدائ فتم كرنے كى كوشش كريں-شبت دیداهمیاد کریں۔ '

( ۱۲۲رستير تا ۲۲ر اکتوبر ) آب جرول كوزياده صاف اور واضح اعرازس دكم سکیں محمه دوسرون محبارے میں بدترین نہیں بلکہ

بمترن سوچ رکھی۔ کوششوں کوشتم کرنے کاکوئی واز سيب ليكن خود يرزياده اوجوند والسي يرعوم ري

( ۱۲۲ مراکورتا ۱۱ رومیر) آب اے ابتدائی خیال کے بر تکس بھی پی رفت کرتے بھی کامیاب رہیں گے۔ دومروں بس جروں کو آب ك مطر نظرت ويمن كار كان رب كار ومول كيلت سفل ليكن كونى وعدوت كرين - معروضى دوي

( ۲۲رنومرنا ۱۲رکسمبر)

أب لد عند و روس عادر جاري تعك واس مع- تيون كوماده ركفنى كوشش كرس اور مرودى باقل پر توج مرکوز رکھی۔ منام خروری آزام کری۔ سيلكي كامديدا بالس ( ۱۹رايديل تا ۱۹رمني)

آپ نے بونیمل کیا ہے جاتد کے اثرات آپ کو الى ير عمل كرنے على مددين محمد آب كاسية آس یاس کے لوگوں سے تطاقات بھتر ہیں گے۔ آب كوقوت استعال كرني كوشش نسي كرني وإسي لكين قیت ارادی کامظامرہ کرنے میں کوئی حرب تعیاب برج بورا

(۲۰۱رمئ"نا ۲۰ بون ) آپ کو پرجوش حالات میں بھی پر سکون رہتا چائے۔ افحال ندانال ندکوائے فی<u>ط</u>ر را ترا تداز نبونے ویں- اس ات کا خیال رکیس کہ دوسے آپ کی

بات كوسمجد جأئي منطقي دويدا فقيار كريي\_

(١٢١ يون تا ٢١ يولان) آن آپ تبدیلیول کابھتر طور پر مامنا کر سکیں کے۔ آپ کو تسمت پر بہت زیادہ انحمار نہیں کرنا چاہئے۔ اپنی محت کے ارے بی کوئی خطرہ مول ندلیں اورمنوازن غذا كماس فراضل عد كام لين -

برج الد ( ۲۲ر جولا ئی تا ۲۱ر اگست )

امكانت المح بن الد آب الك المح موانع ب آپ کے پاس ضائع کرنے کے لئے وقت نمیں قائده بحی افعاسی کے آپ کوئی ایما کام انجام دے ے۔ آپ کوانی لاائل کو منوظ رکھنا جائے۔ آپ عمل مے ہے آپ ایک دھے سے کمل کرنے کے الك ابم معالى س منف ين كامياب ريس محد فولبال تصد فود كو بمت زياده تعكافي كوهش نه فوفرده ندمول - كفاعت شعارى سے كام ليس ـ

کماکریما دمی فودم زیوی طرح بوکن حالمت بین کوشی پس اولیه کادروائی شریع کوسنے کا حکم موحول موسف مکھا تھا ڈس ٹی ىنى . مىت*بوھىندى كاسق* 

غرة كى ين كے علاقے جماليديس آن فلسطيني باشدول فے مظاهرے کٹے اور اسرائیلی فیٹول پر پھراؤ کیا۔ القدس بولیس فے تایاہ کہ میرانفیٰ ت نماز اوا کر کے آئے والله فلسطینین فرجی آج ایرعوقات کی تصادیر افعا رکمی تعیم اورود فلسطینی رقیم جی اراد بست و ایس ف بتایاکد ان مظاہری کو مشتر ار فریک سات اسرائل فوجل نے آنتو میں استعال کی۔ دریں انٹاء اسرائلی دکام نے كزشته روزليك بانح س فكسطيني اشتدره معيط عثان كوجمي وطن بدر کردیا۔ اسے بحر توسط میں اسرائلی بحریہ نے قرانی کی ایک کارروائی کرے گر فقد کیا تھا۔ ریڈیوا سرائیل ئة بتايا كه غزة ك الحاره كر فمار شده فلسطينيول كوعدالت کی جانب سے آٹھ ماہ تک قید کی مزاؤس کا تھم سایا گیا۔

مسلامتی کونسل کیا میا تھا۔ اس قرارواد بررائے تاری میں ہمی امریک نے حصة تس لياقله درس الناء اسرائيل في سلامتي كونسل كي اس تن قرار واو كومسترد كرت بوئ كما ب كه سلامتي کونسل کواسرائیل کے داخلی سعاملات میں دخل اندازی کا کی حق نس ہے۔ اس ائل اس سے پیلے بھی ملامتی کونسل کی دونون قرار دادول کو مسترد کرینکاب- سلامتی

مفقراشنهارات

ير. فران خواني پياليسوال ر ومرشایدہ ارشد کی روح کو ایسال ٹواب کے ہے قرآن خوا بی تحریت امروپر کی بلڈجسٹ یہ شارع a رأس مدالميرة طوم عن بحدثون اوديروون ك<u>ر لش</u> جمعة المبارك والإجورى وديم والورسدم ك درسين بوگ محدرياف ارشد كبيره ويبارتمنث كويت أيروير

بمادا قافل ترمين تشريفين كى ريارت كيفتر عه جورى ويما سه فروری اورتمیرا ۲۲ فروری کوروانر یمو کار ریادی محل کرائی جائم گی مزیرمعوات کے لئے فادم محاج مك دراحدن 4334668 عباسيدثنادع دئميي قرب يوكسسرطوا رنيزا كمسروا كيموكيمي

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میکی اور پورے علاقے کی تاک بندی کرونی۔ اس کے

سائته عي مغمني كنار اور غرويس آنته بيا كيك ورجن فلسطيني

كيميول يس بدستور كرفيو نافذ رباجهال تقريباً وعالى الكد

فلسطيني مقيم ميں۔ اس كے خااده القدى كے مشرقي عصاور

غرة شهيش آئ تعمل برآل رى اور تمام د كانس بندريي.

فاروق الشرع كوخليجي صورت حال

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متعلق را بطي ويحيد كيول كاشكارين

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بهفتر الرجوري ۱۹۸۸ و ۲۶ رجادي الاول ۱۸۰۸ مر يعيف المريير الحسد مبارالله

# ملية - متوف عرب علاقيل من السطين عوام كي احتماقي

المطيئ عامف استكرديل هكدوه اينى آزادد باست كة قيام كى يوسى صالعبت د كيتهين تامره ۱۵ بنوری (کونا) سعودی عرب کے شاہ قدین

كرت بوسة كمات كداران محران ايك الى إلىسى بر مل براس جوت مرف علاقے کے بلک خود ار انول کے لنے بھی تقسان مید انسوں نے آج معرے منازاخبار "البرام" بي شاق بوت والي ايك اعروو بي عرب على المرام " بي شاق بوت والي الم المرام مناطق

كوين والمانيرل كمدرعيت دے ديتي بوتميون ي

نواه كاحمع دجس

الهدكيب يبيح فاقة لوديمنس ويراثي تأكيمتما توراوس

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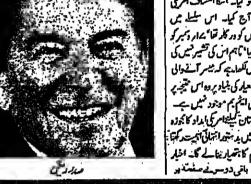
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قی مردعن پر ایک آزاد ریاست کے قیام کی تمام

تقريحے حسرت دھنی برارک

يداكرن كاخرورت يردورويا انون فاكريهات بنى وصل اقراب كدار انى مكومت كى شكل وصورت بين الاقواي مع يرب فنب موجعي باورعالي اواري مرب بدوی ملکول اور دیگر ملکول کے ظلاف امران کی بسیانہ كاردوائيول كى قدمت كريج ين- شاه فرد ت كماك وانسنكتن عمامركي مومت مريراه كافرنس كي جاب سے شرقی وسلی کے مسائل پر مناسب تبدن وسیے جائے فادجه سعاني مغول بن فعرب مع ترتيب بيداكر في

وأشطن ١٥مر جنوري (الجنسيز) امركي صدر رونالا بكمن في فاموتى كے ساتھ ومبريس يآ كستان كے ياس ايتم إبهز بوف في تعديق كروى جست بأستان كوامر كالداد ماری رہے کا راستہ صاف ہو کمیا۔ اسکا آکشاف امریکی اخدر والشفن يوست في آج كيار اس سلط عي مدور کین کانکتیب جو کاعریس کو در کار تھا مام وممبرکو كالحميسي ريمهاوس كويمين وياحميان جهم اس كي تشير تيس كي الى- مددريكن في كتيب عن كلوات كديسر أف وال شادت اور ومتع شده قانوني معياري بنياد يروواس متجرير منے یں کہ پاکستان کے پاس ایم ہم موجود میں ہے۔ والمعدد يكن في مزيد لكماك إكستان الميليوامر كل بداد كالجوزه يوكرام اس خطره كوتم كرفيت بدستورا تهافي البيت وكمتا الله الله المركان بالأثراس متم كابتمياد بناسل كا مخار



المعنى كاداره المركب تحقيق كسريراه فافواه كي ترديد كردى ا با من الدين ١٥ رجوري (اينيز) معملي يرسمي الكتان كو إ الله السياك وسدات فير كافوني طور برايشي يم كى تيارى كامواو lating فرونت کے جانے سے متعلق الزالت کی تحقیقات کر رہا المالية الاهاامالة ألى من بارليمنت كويتاياك اس بولاتك مك كي تحقيقات ك لنة تمام اقدامات كالحم كيا جا يكاب وري الحاء com: \* بلجیشم س استی محقق ادارے کے دائر کمتر تے آج ان ا الله ول كرزيدك ي كريدك التي ں ہے۔ 10 پین مواد مغملی چرمنی سے پراست بلجیشہ دو مسلمان ممالک کو اد الله المح كياب مولى عن التي تحقق اوار ي كمريراه إول 

أيك كميتى في قر قاتونى طور يرياكتان اور ليدياكو يميابو مغرلی جرمنی کے موب حسیر کے مکام کا کمناے کہ يوريم ٢٣٥ كى ، جو مغربي جرمتى تيار كريا ب متعدد كهييس اليني تحقق منفرميل) (بلعينه) اورموز كينين ك وريع وومسلمان عكول كومجواع بال كا امکان سید اس مواد کی قروشت ۱۹۹۸ کے ایٹی عدم بھیااؤ کے مطلبو کے منافی ہے جس کامتعمدائم محول کے 

الله علاق من الكايان بست ذياده مالف أداف يرسني ها، باكتاني ترجان

زیاده مبالنه آرائی پر حی قرار دیا۔ سیافتین کلیشید اسلام آباده ارجوري (كونا) يأكسان فان مارتي محمت عمل ك المبار الك التلل ابم اور بلند مك ب الله خرول كى ترويد كى ب جن شىء حوى كيا كمياتها كدسيا يسن جمال سے منتج واولیل میں مستن اور بعادت کی فوجی تقل و الما أن كليشيشور مراشة ووروز كرودان بعارت اور باكستان الله الله كي الم المام أله والمام أله والمام أله والم حركمت يرتظرد كمحى جاحتى سبداس كليسنينو يرحزشة ) ، وزارت خارجہ کے ایک تر جمان نے گزشتہ روز اخبار باكسستان مرى لنكا كمصملان كتحفظ كم اً أيه أن فيمل كويتايا كد سيافتين كليستدين م يجيل دوروزش مالات اور پاکستان کی فودن کے درمیان کوئی عمین الله الم توجيت كي حمرب ميس موني- تر جمان فيديات سياجين المالة الديمارت كرر انظام تشميرت بعارتي فوتول كمايزر ر برا کرانے جانے یری۔ جزل نارونے کرشتہ بدھ کو جول ش

يقىنى بنانے كى سرمكن كارا ہے ، نزرانى امایم آباد ہا مجوزی بحرائ کی ستان کے وزیرملکت برائد امودخا دجدزي اذواق خاكبلسيه كريكتان مركابكا سكرمها ذول سكرتا للمليمدخي لبندول ستصحفظ كولقسي بثلث مكسك برنس كوشش كردياسيد وه تكى كے دو مينيت ئى دد تحارك الواير! تكريع تق بومرى نكاسك ٢٠ ل. كثريتى عانا قون بين مسلما نون كوم بسيان كيف علىف دود

الله المال وعلى في المال الماليان كور

وهارايما عكف مروسكندين شيف كوي ياسيل دورتك فالركرسكت ه تی دیلی۔ هار چنوري ( رائش) جمادت نے حال ی جیتے کیا جمال عارے ماور جوانیں نے اس کاسی جواب

ویار سورونگ (التی مرحد) برچینی ماخلت کے خلاف والم مناف ي الم على من الما عن التباء كيا- ١٩٥٥ ما يم الم كل الالا وقويل مجر بحارث نے حال ی جس ساع الملين والر مے ا المركم في مورد السيد واحل كي ين مجم ك محمد الرامات معی سنے میں الرامات معی سنے میں Poly الشار أرى وت يريد ك موقد ير يلى بار مائش كيل الله ين سكومه والقريات الرسلطي كان تقيد باير -ال<sup>الا</sup> خفاب كرية موسد جس مين غير يكي فوجي الماثق بعي شريك المالي بعد أف الناف جن كر تناساي سدي والماسكاك وكلورس الك عدائمواد معدت كي والى كلة اور جوائي كار وائي كريس كاور جارت والي ظامم عن كا

المنافع أزمائش كي مني ياكتان في مس ساعين سر

الفاه من الخار نويسوار كومتا ياتها كرسيانين كليشبيشر كعلاه

ا المثالي فوق محمير محد المات من لائن آف محترول ك

الماته ماتيه بهي شطرناك انداز بن كادروائيال كر رب

عار مدجواب سے ممی کو مذرب عرم کے بارے میں کوئی شك نيس رو كيابوكا- مرى الكايس بعادت امن فن ي بارے میں سندرنی نے کما کہ بھارتی فوجول سنے تھے۔ الراء ت اینا کام انجام و یا ۔ انہوں نے بھیرت کو ایک اس بهند طك قراره بالنكن اس ك تفلي رشمنول كومتنبه كياك اے کم وری کی ماا مت پر محول نہ کریں۔ جارت پہلے ے کیس زیاد و تارق اور فور اراد سه کامال ہے۔ ہم جنك نيس والمج ليكن اكر كمي في بم ير دوباره الص مسلط كرف في كوشش ألا تهم إن إرى أنت كما تع مراحمة

وعاك ١٥ مر دوري (كونا) بكلدويش مس اليونيش كي

ع سبب بد برن سے ، اکتاب مال ک مین

لمرف سے صدر حسین محمر ارشاد کویستنتی ہوئے پر مجبور كرن ك مراح و دو دو دو الاسته بطائي جائد والي سيك تحريك كي وجے کے ملک کی مصنبیت کو میکیس کروڑ اس لا کھ ڈالر کا ننسان سخ يكاب وهاك كايان تجارت ومنعتك طرف ست كرا إجاف والالك لك كيرم وب كزشته روز شائع كي ميا ب جس بس كما كياب كد منعتى يوتنول اور تجارتي او ارول من كزشته دوماد كيدوران مملي طوريكا بندام ہے کو تکدان مینول کے دوران ابوزیشن کی طرف سے اپنی تحريك اور بزاليل جارى رتمي تى بين مروت كم مطابق پداوار من كى كى وجهة إنجابم منعول كوجوريدى ميد

بتكارلش من اكان غذا كيمب لاكون لوك بصارت سے فردم موسے ہيں

وللحائد هادمنيوس وانتوا بتنكدوش من واكترون ا کینا سے کہ کاکائی ندا اور وائمن اسے می کمی کے باعث فَلَ مِن ومن الكويت وأنه توك بينان مُومِيك بين دري ائسطین کے قریب بعدت مصفروی کے فریب بہنے بكوي وان ميست نيس الدك قريب يج بي مو تحمران أيب مين جازن كانشاري جوناكاني منا

جنوبی بحرا لکابل کے ملک میں طوفان دوہزارے زائدافراد بے گھر ہوگئے ب للوالوتو - ١٥ مر جنوري (اپ) بحرافظال كرجنوب من واقع ملك والوقوص مندري طوفان سنة باعث ووزار ے زائد لوگ ب کم بوٹے جبکہ بہت ہے بناہ حاصل لرے کیلئے عاروں میں چلے محنہ ریزی والوق کے ایک يرو كرام زروذ يومرث كماكه تال من مكانات كمل طورير تباه موسط اورسمندري طوقان كبعد غذاني قلت كمنظم

توک پیدا دارش جاد اعشاریه آخیه جه فیصد ک کمی بون سیده الك سال مي بيداوار سراضات في شرح كرارب. سروے کے مطابق سای بیشی نے مقامی اور بیرونی مهایه کارون کو نجی خوف و کیا ہے اور محزشتہ وو ماہ کے نالی-ازسوے صفحہ و

ف نازک صورت القیار کرنی بید طوفان کے روران آنه کی کی د فآر ایک سوپالیس کلیر مینرفی تعنیه بیان کی جاتی

۱۸ست کے کر ۲۵ جوری تک ایک سسیت و منعقد جوریا شیلا۔ ۵ار بینوری (اپ) ظیائن کی معداکیو نے ے جس ش در الفام باقتان اور سوار محلف ممالک الكليه بفتي سقاتها تخلبات كي التي متم من يوجع بوية تشدد کی شدید ندمت کی اور کها که بائیں بازد اور دائیں بازو ے انتابہ معدل کی برق طرح کوشش ہے کہ وہ ملک کو جمهوريت كي داليي كي پيڙن سندا آر دين مرزا كيون ي میان تشدد ک واقعات کی حالیہ امری زمنی بونے والے

فینی میں لائمریا کے رحم برواد جاز برحل کے لبد ایک ایادی تن عمل کے دوافراد کو تکافتے کے بعد واس مرر ہی ہے۔

التى كونون اسام كعما المات مي وعل الدارى كواهي اسوامل فقرادوا ومسترم كردي

عرص مل يا تيرامونع ب كدامرك في مقوف مغرا

كنارے اور عرو كى ي كے علاقول مي ومبرے جارى احجاتی مظاہروں سے تمنے کے سلسلے میں امرائلی فری

کارر دائیول پر تکتیجینی ہے متعلق کمی قرار واو کی منظور ٹیا کی

راہ عی رکاوٹ پیرانس کی۔ اس ت قبل سامتی کونسل

في وجوري كوايك قرار وارمس كهاتها كه اسرائيل كي طرف

۔ نو فلسطینیوں کو وطن بدر کرنے کا قدام فلسطینی انسانی

حقیق کی خلاف ورزی کے متراوف ہو گا۔ اس قرار واو کی

و کر ارا کین کے علاوہ امریک نے بھی حملیت کی تھی۔

ملاحق والركارات عدد مركاع كالداوي

فلسطيني مظاهرت يرامرا تلى فيتول كي فاترتك براظهار افسوس

متيوضه فرة - ١٥ رجنوري (اپرائش) متيوضه فرة كي

ين ك عادة من امرائل فرجيل في آج ليك قسطيني

أجوان كو كولى مار كر بلاك كردياجس في ايك امراكلي فوي

اوچمرا محوث وياتحار اس فسطيني نوجوان كي و ي - -

مقوضہ معرفی کتارے اور غوہ کی بی کے علاقیل بیس گزشتہ

جد بغول ے اسرائیل کے خلاف احتمالی مظاہروں کے

إقيام متحده ١٥ر جنوري (كونا) الوام متحده كي ملامتي

كونسل فامرأتل وزورويات كدوه تبوضه حرب علاقيل

ے قسطینوں کووطن بدر کرنے کافیعلد البی فیصل

يد مطالبه ملامتي كونسل كى أيك قرار واوجى كما محيا سيدو

کزشته رات منکور کی منی اس قرار داد کی حمایت میں

ملامتی کونسل کے پندرہ یس سے چووہ ارا کین نے ووث

وية جبك امريك ف رائ فارى من حد نسي ليد ملاستی کونسل ف امرائیل سے بد مطالبہ می کیاہ کدو

الناجار فلسطيني باشمول كي قرى اور محفوظ واليي كويفتي

عاے اللہ و اور ال يور كر كے الله والي الله

ہے۔ قرارداد عل کما کیا ہے کہ امرائیل ستنبل علی کمی

در فلطنی باشمت کودطن بدرند کرے۔ ایک اوے کم

رطانوى عوام كى حابرامة المراكني

پالیسیوں کے ملات برمی

لندن هارم وي دكونا) مقروند عرب علا قول ين

اخيادات اور موام كصفلات جابران تعامات بي اضاف

کی کاردوا یوں عصیب برطاؤی میام میں اس رخم دخصہ

يدورا سعدال المصي بطاؤى مركاتكانة علىكا

افلاد كومشتر دارت مدامق كونسل كى قرادوا و بي وسيَّت

سكة ووسطست رماج واصح اكريت عصعوركي كثي الد

مِی می امرائیل *سنے کیا گیاہے ک*ہ وہ چادفلسطینیوں کودفن

بد کرکے لبنان بھیجے کے نیعلاکہ واپس ہے۔

ایک انتخانی امیددار کی عیادت کے بعد جاری کیا جن س ''کرشنہ ''اے محمنوں کے ووران ملک بھر میں دوا متحالی اميددارون سميت سات افراد بلاك اور كياره ويكرزيني هو محتاسه درین انگاء بولیس نشر کما که ان سر تیمن مسلم حمله آردوں کا بدھ چلانے کے سلسلے میں کوئی سراغ نمیں ما جنوں نے فرانسیں مغیر ڈال سی بانگ کی گاڑی پر قائرنگ كى بعب منير كزشة رات كمر جائ كيليّ سفارت فائ ے نظمد سفیربلت یوف گاڑی می سفر کررے تصاور

نيليو ژان پرايك جوان خورت فياس بات كااحة اف كيا

ب كدوه الله كورياكي الجنسب اوراس في موالي كورياك

اس مسافر طیارت کو تاه کرنے میں مدو دی تھی جس میں

أيك مويندره افراد موارتم- تم بيبن بوني ناي اس مورت

فيقاياكه مسافرهارب كوتياد كرف كاستعدد ١٩٨٨ وي

ميول ميراوليك تيمز كانعقاد مي طل والناتفاله اس

فيتا بإكداس فبالبيث أيك مرد مأتحي كي امانت سيدوني

كورياني فضائي كيني كأيك هيارت يرطاقت ورمم ركعاتن

جواح مر فوم ر کور ماک فزدیک بچے والائمین شر کر کر تاو ہو

كيك بيس مالد كم يون بولى فالتايا كد قدرتي طورير جح

جريفاو آفرى سطيح مين ٢٥٥ رزن جيت، ريند هواني ف أه وكيين املكي مداس- ۵اوجوری (اپ رائش) جندت نے

ويست الذير ك خلاف جو قداور آخري مركب يج آن

تحیل کے بوضے ون ۲۵۵ راز سے جیت کر نسٹ سرین داہر كرف - ايك كى واست اعلى اور ايك بعارت \_ بيت \_ بعارت في كل انترس ٨٦ اور دومري انتخر يم ١١ مرز

فانسيع سفيرك كالمع يحلدك والوسكاسراغ نسيد سكااجاسكا

بافى تاوسترين صفحه بر

اور جانظین کم جونگ ال کی جانب ساس طیارے کو تیاہ كرف وكالحثم ديا كيا قالاك ورم ب سكون كو فوفزوه كرك اوليك تيمز ش شركت كي فاطر سيل جائ ت روكا جائے۔ اس بتایا کہ اس بنایج یو بھ ک دوران کم جوتك ال ك تحظ كيك الى شائلة وجعيات في وششرى أيوتنداس فيؤاتي طوري تم جوكك ال كماست وفاداري كاستف الحاياتهاء جنولي كورياك الملي جنس ك حكام فيةايا ہے کہ تم میون مونی التحالی کوریائے ایک سفارے کاری بنی

الارأت كم حكام في تاياتها كداس ينام كاتعلق امران اور في تعاون كونبل كركن ملكون حكد ورميان مماكرات.

مركفري يواب موصول شيس بواليكن اب تك محدا يط

مثت دے بی اور یہ والط جاری بیں۔ جناب سیف معید

نے محترشتہ بینے سران کے دورے کے موقع پر امر ان کے

وزم خارجه على المروادين كوايك بيقام وهيا ياتحار متدره حرب

ا قِ ام محمّدہ میں امریکی معفیر ویرفن والٹراد مدامتی کونسل سک امبلاس میں وائے شادی میں محصر نہ بھنے کا دوث فیصد سے ہی

ے قریب فلسطینی مظاہرین کو منتشر کرنے کے لئے

آنويس استعال كى غرة شرك الامري معجد كن ديك

سيحكودل فلسطيني فوجوانون في الماز ك بعد الله اكبر ك

فرے لگائے اور اسرائیلی قایش فیص پر پھراؤ کیا۔ ان می سے بہت سے فیجوان تنظیم آزادی فلسطین کے چیم مین

يامر عرفات كي تصادير المحاسة بوسة تقداس مبكد اسرائلي

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ابو تلسي ١٥م بنوري (كونا ، رائش فلي تعاون كونسل

كے يد وكن ملول اور امران كے ورميان ماليا بحت جلد

الوظمين شريات جيت كا آناز بو كاجس ك دوران ان

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ایران کو حال می سی قراہم سے ہیں۔ یہ تروید ان اسر کی ريور فيال كي بعد جارى كي تن ب جن من وعوى كيا كياتها ك امران كوچنى سانت كسك دورم ميزانيلوس كي ايك ني كىپ موسول بونى ب- چىن دارت فارجىن اپ اي حزب الله کے دور ہنماار ان کی

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جودت ۱۵ د جنوری (آپ) جودت کایک اخبار ک ازو تحسی ۱۵ روزی ( رائش ) متحده عرب امارات ک مطابق لبنان مين زمر قبضه امريجي وأنسيسي اور مغربي جرمني ایک اخبار کے وعولی کیاہے کہ امران انتمالیند حزب اللہ ك نه فاليال كي ربائي ك ك يس بروه رابلون كو یارٹی کے رور بشاؤں کو گر فار کے ہوئے ہے ، جن کے يتيدكول مع تقسان يتوات اخبار "الثراع" \_ ان ويدوكون كي أعمد شين منافي المماس الفيريون بارے سے باور کیاجا آے کولیتان سے بیشتر فیر طلیوں کے مِي الْجِيَّةِ وَرَاكُمْ كَ حَوَالُهِ مِنْ كُمَا كَدَالِيَةِ يَهِ طَالِقِي فِي عَالَمِي فَي عَالِمِي اغواس ان كلباته ب- عرفي النبار "الاتحاد" في كما ك عيد الياري حماوي اور عماد مغنيه افراء كوير تفالي مناف ش طوت ہوئے یہ پیچلے مادے زیر حراست ہیں۔ اخبار النان ورائع كا والساسة عصافهول في تعران ب لندن ش موصول اطفاعات قرار ويا مورث من كماان وونوں اقراد کو ایر بل میں صلات و مشورہ کے لئے شران

ا یر آند کااڑوں کے آؤٹ ہوئے کے ماتھ کیل متم

أرك كاعلان كروياتها ويست اعتبزي بم يبلي انتزس

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نع في ويت مسكم معلله عنها كون عند عن جمالا كرية والي بات سائت أعتى ب- بفت روز والشرباي وواخيار ب جس نے تومبر ۱۹۸۹ میں ایوان کو امریکی بشیباروں کی تغیر ا فراجى كى رپورٹ شائع كى قتى۔ طلب كيام يأتفاوانين بيوت نمين يني-

يحكوسلواكياوروسيت المسفيحي اولميك ين تمركت كااعلان كرما الوزين- (سيولنزرليند) داردوري (اي)

چيکوسلواکيه سناماني اوليک کيني او مطلع کيا ہے کو وو سيول کا وليک کھيل ميں شركت کرے گاہواں مال وم م کرمائن بوری بیا- دنت نام اند مجی كمين كواوليك مثمالي تركت ت رنمي طور زيباخير كرويا ے۔ مازہ ترین اعلامات کمینی کی طرف سے اس تعمل میں املان کے کی وقت کو آخری سیعاد کی حد محزر کے سے



كي ل كل كي ميل ويون موري موج ووك برا طرورت أي ويون كدفرو بي احراف جرم أرق ويك بيدي.



الع المرساسي ذادى كى مدود يريث واستنكش هارجوري اكونا) ايران مي مون يحل عام انتخابات قريب آ بسيم يماد مكوست كيمنغول عرامايى بحث مباسخة ثردت اختياد كريب بن اكريين مائن مانيم

کے مطابق میں امود پر محصشہ مود ہی ستے ان میں بیمی شامل ہے کھام اس کا بات کی سم کے دوران اسد واروں اورجاعوں كمعقدميا محازادي وي جاشة - البماس بنيادي مشل کے تعلیم کے علاوہ تیمہ یہ معاکرے میں مو و ترکیک ايوان دمنها أيت الشغنين كيد جانشين كعطودم أيتالت ممین ملی منتظری کدامیکا استستند جی پمنتظری کا واد بكرستعدومسياس جاعتيل كواينا دجرد قافم يكف كي اما زمت بوی به بیشته جرملس میش بادمیمنده کیما تنایات ي ايناميدوار امزدكري .

ك كل ايك سائينسدان اور وانشوران شريك وال

ب وقريباً ٢٠ روع ما رفيقسان سنيي ت وتقريباً ٢٠ كرو و اركاسان سنيي موتخال مسترنه هوني قريست صنتي يوط بذكرنا يريس كارش مرع دورات

كبشرون والول شريند فوداك ايت من المريداور ہنے کی منعقیں میں تقریباً سازھے تین ارب ناکا کا نقصان پنجاہے۔ جھددیش کی معیشت کو حالیہ تاہ کمن ميالب كميا عش بعي شديد تتصان بينجاب جس كا عمازه ايك ارب والرك للك بحك ب- موت عن بنايا كياب كه سياب اور سياى ب چينى كى دجه بيته ويش كى جموى

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يرس كامن سيميار س٥٥

نويل انعام يافتكان شركت كرنيك

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سیول۔ دار جنوری (اپ) جنوبی کوریا کے قوی 🕴 اس جرم کی سینفووں مرتبہ سوامنی چاہیے۔ اس نے تایا کہ ات ثان أو ياك مرواه تمال منت ك صاحب زاور

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### Lillee's first class return draws mixed reactions

SYDNEY, Jan 15, (Reuter): Dennis Lillee's decision to put his peerless reputation on the line and return to first class cricket at the age of 38 has drawn mixed reactions in Australia.

Fast bowler Lillee retired from international cricket four years ago after taking an Australian and then world record 355 wickets in 70 Tests.

But this season, although playing club cricket in his native Perth, he has decided to join struggling Tasmania in the Shef-field Shield competition and in true Lillee fashion signalled his return hy taking a wicket with his first ball against South Australia

The list of successful comebacks in any sport is small and commentators and players alike have been sceptical about Lillee's decision.

"It doesn't worry me at all," Lillee retorted when questioned at a packed news conference yes-

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"I've never worried about my reputation or the reputation of anyone I play against. I just think people should he allowed to do what they want to do and this is what I want to do.

"I'm happy that my form and fitness warrants making a comeback and that's what 1 intend to do.

"I've been practising three to four nights a week as well as playing at the weekends and have been doing a lot of running and general fitness work, so I'm confident my body can stand up to the strains of playing Shield cricket again.

Lillee's once-flowing locks are rapidly thinning and greystrands are evident but he has always kept himself in prime physical condition and his 36 wickets at just 12 runs each in the powerful Perth first grade competition this season are eloquent testimony to his enduring skills.

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With a single stump serving as a marker at team practice yesterday, the man rated by many as the best fast bowler ever to play the game knocked it out of the ground with his first delivery. He repeated the feat three balls later.

Despite Lillee's fitness and form, former Test partner Jeff Thomson has questioned the wisdom of his comeback and said a substantial financial inducement must have been offered.

"He's got nothing to prove and is leaving himself open for knockers. It'll be all right if Den-nis gets wickets, but if he doesn't, the knockers will say "silly old bastard." Thomson said.

"All I can say is that his bank balance must be looking pretty healthy right now.'

New Zealand's Richard Hadlee, joint world record holder with England's Ian Botham with 373 Test wickets, told a local newspaper he regarded Lillee as the greatest fast bowler ever but could not comprehend his decision to come back.

"Dennis has nothing to gain by coming out of retirement for another attempt at big-time cricket. Lillee went out on a high a few years ago and 1 admired his decision," Hadlee said.

"But I have no idea why he has now opted to make a comeback."

However Botham, now playng Sheffield Shield for Queensland, described Lillee as "the master of masters," and said he would make a successful return.

"The guy is a fitness freak. If you know the man, you will know anything that he sets his mind to he'll have a go at and achieve." Botham said.

Former Test captain and team-mate Greg Chappell agreed and said Lillee's decision to return was a great thing for Australian cricket.

"He's not 100 per cent fit but fit enough as he has been playing in club competition." Chappel said. Dennis's experience and ability will be very useful to the whole Tasmanian side.

### HIRWANI TAKES RECORD-EQUALLING 16 WICKETS

### India rout W. Indies to level series

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(Reuter): Teenage leg hreak bowler Narendra Hirwani became today only the second howler in Test cricket history to claim 16 wickets on his debut as India thrashed West Indies by 255 runs in the fourth and final

The match was over before tea on the fourth day, leaving the series level at 1-1.

Hirwani, 19, exploited a diflicult pitch magnificently to take eight for 75 in West Indies second innings total of 160 to give him match figures of 16 for

Claim India had earlier taken their overnight total of 181 for four to

217 for eight before declaring to leave West Indies 416 to win. The only other bowler to claim 16 wickets on his Test debut is Australia's Bob Massie, who took 16 for 137 against England

at Lord's in 1972 Hirwani, aided by four stumpings from Kiran More, extracted vicious turn from a pitch which West Indies have formally complained about to the Indian Board of Control.

Only Gus Logic and Clyde Butts showed any defiance, with

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan

15, (AP): Wimbledon champion

Pat Cash sounded a stern warn-

ing to his rivals today after romp-

ing to a 6-1, 6-2, 6-1 victory over

compatriot and close friend Paul

room for sentiment with a clin-

ical performance which effec-

tively ended McNamee's career.

The former Davis Cup player

had announced prior to the event

Cash, the No. 4 seed, joined world No. I Ivan Lendl and fifth-

seeded Yannick Noah in the

round of 16 after both players

overcame searing heat to score

Two seeds were ousted, with

seventh-seeded Henri Leconte of

France losing a fiery encounter with AmericanTodd Witsken 7-

4, 6-3. 6-4, and 12th-seeded

South African Christo van Rens-

burg bowing out 2-6, 6-3, 6-3 to

that it would be his last.

third-round victories.

Cash showed there was little

smother the spin. The diminutive Logie scored 67 off 62 deliveries, including

eight fours and two sixes, before he was stumped. He had added 61 in 43 minutes with Butts, who made 38 including three sixes before skying Hir-

wani to extra cover where Ajay Sharma held the easy catch. Hirwani, who took more wickets in one Test than any other Indian howler, began the rout before lunch when Phil Simmons hit a full toss straight to Mohin-

was on 14. Desmond Haynes was leg before soon after lunch for six and wickets fell quickly until Logie and Butts came together.

der Amarnath at mid-on when he

Richie Richardson was caught hy Amarnath off off-spinner Arshad Ayub for seven but Hirwani claimed the crucial wicket of captain Viv Richards, caught off a top edge at second slip hy Kapil Dev for four. Carl Hooper was stumped for

eight, Jeff Dujon went for two and Winston Davis for seven. Another Test debutant, Venkat Raman, claimed the wicket of Courtney Walsh for a duck

with the aid of another More

Evert and world No. 2 Martina

Navratilova both dropped sets

before overcoming young

Evert lost the first set before

American Patty Fendick 4-6, 6-1,

6-1, while Navratilova faltered

slightly before beating 19-year-

old Akiko Kijimuta of Japan 4-6,

Cash said he had given full

commitment to his match

**Matters** 

court, but on the court we are

enemies," he said. "I gave 100 per cent because I know he wouldn't

have wanted it any other way. I

am here to win matches. That's

what matters, and I feel I'm play-

Leconte was later fined \$500

for unsportsmanlike conduct

after hitting a ball into Witsken's

leg during the match. He later said he had not deliberately hit

Dutchman Michiel Schapers — said he had not deliberately hit set in the tournament, was never the American. Seriously troubled by Australian champion cares. It was an accident, he said.

ing better with every game.

"We are great friends off the

22-year-old

Cash, Lendi and

opponents.

overcoming

against McNamee.

Hirwan

stumping Yesterday West Indies formally complained to the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCC1) about the wicket prepared for the Madras Test, the touring team's assistant manager said today.

Norman MacLean told Reuters that West Indies manager Jackie Hendricks hnd sent a letter to BCC1 president S. Sriraman and secretary Ranhir

Noah in

Other men to advance

included 14th-seeded Swede

Jonas Svensson and Australian

Svensson endured a torrid

encounter with compatriot Nik-

las Kroon before winning 6-2, 6-

7 (4-7), 6-4, 6-3 while Masur

exacted revenge on Davis Cup nemesis Ramesh Krishnan of

Masur, who defeated two-

time Wimhledon champion

Boris Becker in the fourth round

of last year's Open, now will meet

The Australian also held two

match points before losing to

Lendl in an exhibition tour-

nament at Sanctuary Cove in

"I don't worry about other

people's records or how they

went against me last time," Lendi

said. "I'm just here to win four

Lendl, who has yet to drop a

set in the tournament, was never.

Lendl in the fourth round.

Queensland last week.

more matches."

India 6-2, 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

Wally Masur, the 16th seed.

was unfit for a five-day match. BCCI officials were not immediately available for com-

MacLean said the letter alleged the wicket had not been watered for more than a week hefore the match ond was deliberately prepared to favour spinners and allow India to square the series.

The letter said preparing such a wicket was not good for international cricket, he added. Hendricks told Reuters West

Indies did not expect anything to result from the letter hut "we wanted to get our position on record.

Scoreboard INDIA first innings 382 (Kapil Dev 109, W. Davis four for 76) WEST INDIES first innings 184

(V. Richards 68, N. Hirwani eight for INDIA second innings (overnight

181 (or four) K. Srikkanth Ibw b Davis ...

A. Lal lbw b Walsh W. Raman c Dojon b Walsh ... M. Amarnath e Richardson b Walsh 1 M. Azharuddin e Davis b Richards 39 A. Sharma low b Patterson .... K. Dev lbw b Patterson

downing him 6-3, 6-3, 6-1. Tem-

peratures during the centre-

court clash approached 40 C.

heat was so unbelieveable,"

"I paced myself because the

Navratilova said she had to

"I made a lot of unforced

raise the level of her game to fend

errors in the first set and I wasn't

serving well," she said, "I knew I

would have to revise the level of

thander Sylvia Hanika of West

Germany in the round of 16,

while Evert will meet Swiss youn-

Career

fourth-round match of her career

after scoring a 4-6, 6-1, 9-7 win

over American Lea Antonophis.

of Czechoslovakia, 10th-seeded

American Barbara Potter and

Sixth-seeded Helena Sukova

Cohen will be playing the first

Navratilova now will face lef-

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Lendl said.

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gster Celine Cohen.

Bowling: Kapil Dev 4-3-8-0, Amarnath 2-0-7-0, Shastri 5-0-25-0, Ayub 14-5-33-1, Hirwani 15.2-3-75-8, Raman 1-0-7-1. Result: India won by 255 runs.

A. Ayub not out ...... Extras (h-8 lb-7 nb-10)

185 6-185 7-190 8-194

Richards 18-4-28-1.

D. Haynes Ibw b Hirwani .

Total (for eight wickets declared) 217

Fall of wickets: 1-3 2-36 3-37 4-124 5-

Bowling: Pattersoo 9-2-17-2,

Walsh 16-5-55-4, Davis 6-0-20-1, Batts 21-1-62-0, Honper 6-1-20-0,

WEST INDIES second innings:

R. Richardson c Amarnath b Aynb 7

A. Logie st More b Hirwani ...... 67

. Hooper st More b Hirwani .... Dujoa st More b Hirwani .....

. Davis st More b Hirwani

C. Walsh st More b Raman.

5-61 6-79 7-140 8-153 9-160.

P. Patterson not out.

Total

Extras (b-4 lb-1 nb-2) .

Simmonse Amarnath b Hirwani 14

. Richards e Kapîl Dev b Hirwani 4

Butts c Sharma b Hirwani ...... 38

Fall of wickets: 1-22 2-27 3-33 4-41

First Test: West Indies won by five

Second Test: drawn. Third Test: drawn. Series drawn 1-1.

### Gatting received Shakoor's letter

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand, Jan 15, (Reuter): England cricket captain Mike Gatting received a letter of regret from Pakistani umpire Shakoor Rana but it was not published because it did not amount to an apology, tour manager Peter Lush said

Lush confirmed a report in the Pakistan Times that Gatting received the letter during the third Test in Karachi.

It was written after Gatting apologised to Shakoor for his part in a blunt exchange of words during the second Test at Faisal-

Lush told a news conference after the England team arrived in New Zealand that the letter was received on the second day of the third Test in Karachi.

There was a question whether it was to be published the reason it was not published was that the letter was not what we expected it to be. We expected an apology and it didn't contain that, "Lush said

Surprise He said it was not a surprise to receive the letter - but its contents were a surprise.

Shakoor's lettersaid: "Having thought about the Faisalabad match and your gracious apology, I feel that the future of cricketing relations between Pakistan and England would be helped if I too expressed my regrets over the incident. I hope you accept this in the spirit it is

There is a significant difference between a letter of regret and an apology," Lush said.

"If you publish something at the time which doesn't meet the hill then all it does is cause further aggravation hy saying the letter

is not satisfactory."

Gatting told the news conference: "It (the letter) would not have met Mr Rana's hill - he wanted an apology."
The Pakistan Times said it was

understood that Gatting would release the letter to the media. "But the England captain apparently kept the letter to himself, because ohviously it did not suit his ends nor that of the Engiish touring team.

Lush said he did not want the matter to go any further. "As far as I'm concerned, and everybody else here, the Pakistan tour is finished, dead and huried and all that occurred there. "I wont everyone here to know

we don't propose getting involved in any discussion, wrangles or anything else like that as regards to umpires' decisions," Lush said. Gatting said he was aware the row in Pakistan had put his team

and his captaincy under pres-sure. But he would not change his outlook and would continue to do what he considered was right as well as give 100 per cent effort. Willing
"If at the end of the day things
aren't going well and people feel
they have somebody else who can

do the job, then I'm willing to stand down," Gatting said. Team manager Micky Stewart

said the absence of former key players such as lan Botham, Graham Gooch and David Gower had ohviously weakened England hut the New Zealand tour would provide opportunities for players such as Chris Broad and David Capel. The first match will be against

a Wellington provincial side beginning on Monday.

There will be a further provincial game before the team flies to Sydney for the bicentenary Test against Australia.



### **Taylor takes Aussies** past Sri Lankans

MELBOURNE, (Reuter): Peter Taylor, who fought his way back into the Australian team after being dropped. steered the side to a convincing 38-run win over Sri Lanka in a World Series Cup match yester-

day.
The win assured Australia of a place in the finals with eight points from five matches.

Taylor, who lost his place after last year's World Cup, took the Man of the Match award for his unbeaten 27 and his four wickets

### Threatening The New South Wales off-

spinner chipped in with the vital wicket of captain Ranjan Madugallejust when the Sri Lankans looked like threatening the Australian total of 243 for eight off 50 overs Sri Lanka could manage only

205 from 44.5 overs after a collapse which saw the last six wickets fall for 42 runs. The young Sri Lankan team,

who beat New Zealand in Hobart on Tuesday, looked set to record another upset when Madugalle and Arjuna Ranatunga were at the crease. They shared an exciting 97-run

partnership to help Sri Lanka to recover from 66 for four and close in on the winning target. But then Taylor claimed the

wickets of Madugalle, caught for 44, and Guy de Alwis, who fell for a duck. Ranatunga was run out for 67 in the next over.

· Australia had recovered from a shaky start in which they lost openers David Boon for two and

Geoff Marsh for nought with only six runs on the board. But they revived with a 60-run partnership between Dean Jones and Mike Veletta.

Veletta notched up his highest score in the series - 46 off 68

### Scoreboard AUSTRALIA innings D. Boon e Ranatunga b Ratmayake 1 G. Marsh e De Alwis b Labrooy .... 0

Jones e Mahanama b Ranatunga 31

A. Dodemaide not out ... Extras (lb-11 w-6) ... Total (for eight wickets, 50 overs) 243 Fall of wickets: 1-1-2-6 3-66 4-90 5-158 6-172 7-190 8-220.

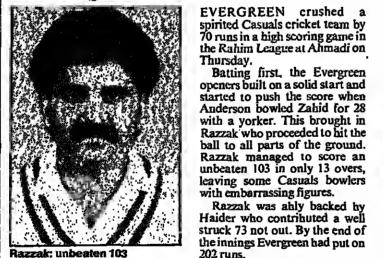
Bowling: Rotaayake 8-0-24-1, Labrooy 10-1-39-4, Ramanayake 5-0-32-0, Ranatunga 10-0-47-1, Jegan-athan 7-0-36-1, P.A. de Silva 10-0-54-

SRI LANKA innings R. Mahanama b Dodemaide ...

A. de Silva c Boon b McDermott . 10 R. Ratnayake c Dyer b Dodemaide 16 G. Labrooy c McDermotth Toylor 13 S. Jeganathan c Border b Taylor ... 1 C. Ramanayake not out ......

5-163 6-163 7-164 8-183 9-189. Bowling: Dodemaide 7.5-2-36-2, McDermott 10-2-42-2, Wangh 7-0-33-1, May 10-0-48-0, Taylor 10-1-38-

### Evergreen brush aside Casuals



**English FA turn** 

down £20m deal

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter):

The English Football Associa-

tion (FA) yesterday turned down

a £20 million (\$36.6 million) offer

from a brewery company to

sponsor the FA Cup. FA chairman Bert Millichip

warned other companies con-sidering a hid for the Cup that

they will have to make an "irresis-

tible offer" to have any hope of

Millichip said: "I would not

consider anything below £20

million ... hut there are several

never agree to the FA Cup being

called anything else. That would

be totally unacceptable."

"The higgest is that we will

other terms that must be met.

spirited Casuals cricket team by 70 runs in a high scoring game in the Rahim League at Ahmadi on

Batting first, the Evergreen openers built on a solid start and started to push the score when Anderson bowled Zahid for 28 with a yorker. This brought in Razzak who proceeded to hit the ball to all parts of the ground. Razzak managed to score an unbeaten 103 in only 13 overs, leaving some Casuals bowlers with embarrassing figures.

Razzak was ahly backed by Haider who contributed a well struck 73 not out. By the end of the innings Evergreen had put on mind with Tudball and Wells quickly knocking the opening bowlers out of attack. The openers sped to 78 before Wells skied a drive and was caught for 33.

Casuals skipper Snowden then came to the wicket and carried on where he left off last week and began hitting the ball around freely. But after a while the Evergreen howlers took control of the game and restricted the Casuals batsmen.

and 31 respectively as Evergreen ran out easy winners by 70 runs.

Although Tudball reached his

### 50, Casuals were only able to muster 133. Tudball and Snowden remained unbeaten on 61

# Liverpool announce deal

### with Italian sponsors LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): English First Division leaders Liverpool yesterday announced a three-year sponsorship deal

with Italian domestic appliance company Candy. The deal, worth £3 million

(\$5.4 million) to Liverpool, is seen by both as an act of international bridge-building following the 1985 Heysel stadium disaster which led to the loss of 39

Juventus of Italy and Liverpool. All English clubs were banned indefinitely from European club

The tragedy happened before the European Cup final between

soccer as a result. Liverpool were barred for a further three seasons once the national ban is lifted. Candy, who take over from a paint company, have a factory on Merseyside, home of Liver-

Liverpool chairman John Smith said: "I am delighted to welcome Candy and we look forward to a mutually prosperous future with them.

"It is particularly pleasing that the sponsorship deal offers us all the opportunity to strengthen further links between Merseyside

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): A spectacular 75th minute goal from Scotland striker Graeme Sharp kept Everton's English Football Association (FA) Cup hopes alive on Wednesday night.

Everton drew 1-1 with Sheffield Wednesday after extra time in their third round replay, Sharp having volleyed home an unstop-pahle shot to cancel out a 32nd minute goal by Lee Chapman. Both sides had chances to set-

tle the issue, with Everton's Gary Stevens clearing a Colin West effort of the line and Wednesday's Nigel Worthington booking the ball away at the foot of a post after Martin Hodge had only managed to Parry an Adrian Heath shot.

### Superb

Dave Bamber headed two

### llth-seeded Hanika all scored straightforward victories. Sharp strike keeps Everton's hopes alive

Extra time failed to produce a winner and the two sides must meet again in a second replay, which will be at Everton's Goddison Park ground on January

superh goals to give Second Div-ision Swindon a surprise 2-0 win over Division One Norwich in their third round replay.

The tall Bamber ruthlessly

exposed a lack of aerial authority in the Norwich defence hy heading a Dave Hockaday corner and a Jimmy Quinn free kick past goalkeeper Bryan Gunn in the 67th and 87th minutes.

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### Porto edge Ajax in

OPORTO, Portugal, Jan 15. (Renter): European and World Cup champions Porto completed a unique soccer treble on Wednesday when they beat Ajax Amsterdam t-0 in the second leg of the Supercup final.

Leading 1-0 from the first leg, Porto made sure of becoming the first side to hold all three trophies at the same time when Antonio Sousa scored in the 70th minute. Thegoal, which sparked some

life into a generally dull match, came after the Dutch defence misread a Joao Pinto cross and allowed the deadly Sousa a clear shot from close-range. Two down on aggregate, Ajax tried to raily but were worn down

by the Portuguese attack which

grew more adventurous as the isitors began to tire. Rui Barros, who played to form only in the second half. almost scored twice in the dying minutes hut was foiled by a bad bounce and some last-gasp tackles from the Ajax defenders. The young Dutch side had dominated much of the first half, their no-nonsense defence learning from their first-leg mistakes and snuffing out the midfield menace of Rui Barros and Sousa.

Playing well below their best, Porto created only a handful of chances and were lucky not to trail at half-time when Aron Winterpounced on a loose ball to shoot just wide in the 44th min-

ute.
Little Rui Barros came closest for the home side when he beat keeper Stanley Menzo with a chipped shot in the 27th minute only to see the ball drift over the But the crowd of 45,000 disappointing by Porto's stan-dards — saw little of the spar-

acclaim throughout Europe last Ajax's Barry Hulshoff, acting coach after the resignation of

kling play that won both clubs

Supercup for unique treble Johan Cruyff, said Porto deserved their win despite playing more defensively than the

"We played to win though they gave us little room because of their more defensive set-up. We had no chance after the goal." he said. Porto manager Tomislav Ivic

said: "It was a very tactical

match. But winning three tro-

phies is a great achievement for Portuguese football." Teams: Porto — Josef Mlynarczyk, Joao Pinto, Geraldao, Lima Pereira, Augusto Inacio. Jaime Magalhaes, Bandeirinha (Semedo 85), Andre, Antonio Sousa, Rui Barros, Fernando

Gomes (Jorge Placido 67).

Ajax - Stanley Menzo,
Danny Blind, Dan Hesp, Aron Winter, Peter Larsen, Roh Witschge (Brian Roy 64), John van't Schip, Dennis Bergkamp (Hennie Meijer 80). Jan Wouters, Arnold Muchren, John Bosman.



Porto captain Fernando Gomez is hoisted on the shoulders of teammates after he received the trophy. (Reuter wirephoto)

#### **SPORTS BRIEFS**

#### Pakistani inquiry

LAHORE, Pakistan, Jan 15, [Rcuter]: A Pakistani inquiry commission has called England cricket captain Mike Gatting's behaviour in the second Test in Faisalabad unacceptable and also criticised tour manager Peter Lush. A report on England's recent disastrous tour, made public at a oews conference in Labore today, said Lush's criticisms of the umpiring after the first of the three Tests had raised tensioo.

#### **Monte Carlo**

PARIS, Jan 15, (Reuter): Finoish and Swedish drivers will clash with the world's top Latins as they bid to thwart a hat-trick of Lancia victories in the 56th Monte Carlo rally which begins

#### Shield cricket

SYDNEY, Jan 15, [Reuter]: Scores on the first day of the two four-day Sheffield Shield cricket matches today: In Devonport, Tasmania: Tasmania 111 (S. George six for 51), South Australia 68 for two. In Perth: Queensland 256 for six (Greg Ritchie 76, Rob Kerr 59, Ian Botham 54 not out Terry Alderman four for 64) versus Western Australia.

#### Scottish champions

GLASGOW, Jan 15, (Reuter): Scottish soccer champions Glasgow Rangers continued their remarkable spending spree today when they signed Dundee's John Brown and Danish defender Jan Bartram for a combined fee of £530,000 (\$954,000).

#### Eklund appeal

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuterl: Swedish rally driver Per Eklund's appeal against disqualification from the British Royal Automobile Club (RAC) Rally in November was rejected by an appeal court in Paris yesterday, a spokesman for the RAC said today.

#### Real lose

MADRID, Jan 15, (Reuter): Real Madrid conceded three goals in the last 11 minutes and crashed to a shock 3-2 defeat by lowly Sabadell in the first leg of the Spanish Cup soccer quarterfinals on Wednesday night.

### Ossie Ardiles

LONDON, Jan 15, (AP): A Florida team in a new North American pro-soccer League wants to sign veteran English League star Ossie Ardiles, it was reported yesterday.

### Olympic tennis

MELBOURNE, Jan (Reuter): Philippe Chatrier, President of the International Tennis Federation (ITF), quashed rumours that tennis would be reduced to a demonstration sport at the Seoul Olympics.

Craig McDermott LONDON, Jan 15. (Reuter): Australian fast bowler Craig McDermott is to have a knee operation that will prevent him from playing for Gloucestershire next season, the county secretary Philip August said yesterday.

### Cricket profit

LONDON, Jan 15, (Rcuter): Nottinghamshire, winners of the English County Cricket Championship and the NatWest limited overs trophy in 1987, said yesterday it made £16,000 (\$29,300) profit in the last financial year.

### Top boxer

CARACAS, Jan 15, (Reuter): The World Boxing Association (WBA) named super middleweight champion Chong Pal Park of South Korea yesterday its Boxer of the Month for December for his victory on December 6 over Mcxican Jesus

### Witt triumphs

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Jan 15, (AP): Katarina Will of East Germany skated to a dramatic version to "Carmen" to win the European Figure Skating Women's Championship yesterday for the sixth time.

### Squash team

COLOMBO, Jan 15. (Kunal: A four-member Sri Lankan squash team will leave here Sunday to participate in the fourth Asian Championship to be held in Kuwait starting Wednesday.

### **World Cup**

STRBSKE PLESO, Czechoslovakia, Jan 15, (API: Torgny Mogren of Sweden won the men's 15-kilometre cross-country free-skating event today in the Nordic Skiing World Cup, his third victory this season.

### CHIHABANDHANAN FINISH THIRD IN KUWAIT RALLY

### Al Hilal holds off Al Wazzan for first-round win

### **By Gail Seery**

KUWAIT champion Ahmed Al Hilal took a decisive 4 minutes 37 secoods victory over rally veteran Tareq Al Wazzan in his Marlboro spoosored Range Rover in yesterday's first round of the 1988 Kuwait champion-

Driving his new Rothmans Toyota Corolla for the first time. Al Hilal and co-driver Fahed Al Rashed suffered few problems in the ten-stage event. Third was Faez Chihab with his wife Hanan Al Shaoteer as a new co-driver. Ahmed Al Nasser was in fourth place in his Mitsubishi Lancer, and Tareq and Khuloud Alvan were in fifth place in their Charade.

#### Pleaaed

Al Hilal and Al Rashed had one flat tyre on the third stage but continued, losing between 30 and 32 seconds. Other than that the event had been straightforward. Al Rashed said that he was very pleased with Al Hilal's driving. You need to be a very good driver to handle a new car so well." He added that "you need very good notes to do well on this rally as there are quite a few tricky places." This is a remark that those whose notes were not so good would certainly agree with. He also praised the oneman service team. "It's been very good," he said. Al Hilal said he was pleased with his car and with his sponsor, and has great hopes for the new season now that he has a more competitive vehicle.

Al Wazzan was naturally disappointed to be in second place. However, "As I told you, the



Ai Wazzan stays on Al Hilal's tall

Range Rover was at a disadvantage on this rally." Even so, be had been just one second bebind Al Hilal when the Marlboro Range Rover bad a puncture. 'We didn't stop, and we drove on with the puncture for 11km. We lost 2 minutes and 30 seconds in stage 4 through that. These stages need a fast car, not a strong car. I pushed very hard." he added. His co-driver Khaled Khalifa added that although they had tried hard it had been impossible to make up time on the Corolla. Faez Chihab made his return

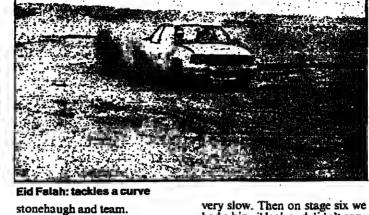
to rallying after a three year break, and like Al Wazzan before him, proved that skill is not lost so quickly. Chihab was Kuwait's first national champion, and would dearly like to take this year's title, if he can find a good sponsor. "I am glad to be back in the driving seat," he said. He praised his wife. "Hanan read the

pace notes well. She was a terrific

co-driver. However there had been rear suspension problems after stage 6. Chihab said that he bad offered a prize for the best novice co-driver, and for the best novice driver. "We should encourage the newcomers," he

Josef Miskulnig hit problems oo stage I wheo he found some children on the track and had to move off the track to avoid them. He and first time navigator Klaus Schwingenschloegl hit a bump in the Nissan 240RS, flew" and made a bad landing. damaging the steering. At that point they were "in touch with the first two cars." Further problems were in store; they drove the last two stages without 2nd aod 3rd gears.

Mike Allen and Martin Phillips in the Volvo hit trouble on stage 3 when their car caught fire. They kept going despite a massive time penalty, supported admirably by Lester Feather-

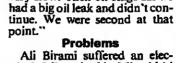


Drivers were full of praise for the organisation. Al Wazzan said simply that it was "beautiful". and Al Hilal added that he did not think that Kuwait had ever had such a well organised rally.

The marshalls all worked well and there had been no problems. Miskulnig praised the attitude of some of the younger drivers, par-ticularly Saeed Ali, who had behaved sensibly when being

Some competitors were less fortunate. Al Husseini who set the fastest stage time on stage I went out on stage three with gearbox/clutch trouble. Again, Eid Falah, the Marlboro sponsored driver who has had several months of bad tuck suffered further problems.

Sadeq Ashkaoani, his navigator, explained: "We had eogine problems from the very start. There was trouble with the carburretor and our times were



trical failure in his Mitsubisbi Lancer, forcing him to drop out of the rally. Peter Freiseneger io the Volkswagen Beetle went out on the first stage with engine problems. Only 18 of the 32 drivers who set out finished.

And me? My car, a Hamoor-sponsored Mitsubishi Pajero driven by Harry Carr rolled at the end of stage 8, when we were running in tenth place. Fortunately neither of us was seriously

Provisional results: 2. A. Al Hilal/F. Al Rashed, Corolla, 01:27:09; 3. T. Al Wazzan/K. Khalifa, Range Rover, 01:31:46; 10. F. Shihab/H. Al Shanteer, Mitsubishi Lancer, 01:34:06; 9. A. Al Nasser/A. Al Khamis, Mitsubishi Lancer, 01:37:25; 11. T. Al Ayan/K. Al Ayan, Charade, 01:40:52; 22. I. Al Moawad/T. Al Attar, Datsuo, 01:42:33; 32. A. Al Moosa/W. Atalia, Toyota, 01:49:49; 7. J. Miskulnig/K. Schwingenschloegl, Nissan 240RS, 01:50:10; 21. N. Hasawi/A. Al Ali, Datsun, 01:52:12; 25. S. Mubarak/A. Barrak, Skyline, 01:55:41; 31. Y. Ali/A. Ahmad, Lada 1600, 01:58:40; 29, H. Al Hamid/A. Al Hamdan, Milsubishi Galant, 02:00:31; 15. S. Ali/ A. Aziz Salem, Lada 1600, 02:02:04; 23. P. Horn/M. Horn, Mazda 323, 02:04:23; 18. M. Al Omair/J. Ibrahim, Fiat Ritmo, 02:05:21; 26. M. Allen/M. Philips, Volvo 240, 02:11:47; 29. J. Binhan/H. Kasem, Nissan 160J, 02:14:04; 19. K. Al Kbam-mas/A. Atif Delim, Skuling mes/A. Atif Dalim, Skyline 02:31:11.



The winners: Ai Hilai (right) and Ai Rashed



The female co-drivers in the raily. From left: Margaret Callow, Khiuloud, Hanan and Gail Seery. (Photos by Mohammed Nayef)

Iraq outlast Kuwait

to qualify for Games

### Osama and Rakad win at Dubai Horse Show

OSAMA Khadra produced a splendid performance to supply Kuwait with a second triumph. at the Dubai Horse Show yesier-

Taking Fury into the ten-horse jump-off for the Longines Junior Stakes, Khadra went clear in 51.02 seconds to win from Dubai's Debbie Godsave on Dubai Dancer.

### Dominated

The performance resulted in more loud celebrations by the strong Kuwaiti contingent at the ten-nation show, following Lieutenant Rakad Al Dophere's success with Liwice on Thursday in the Al Bayan Speed and Handiness Stakes. That first-day event had been

dominated by Kuwaiti riders. who are expected to mount a

Liverpool

LONDON, Jan 15, (Reuter): Runaway leaders Liverpool will

be seeking to continue a club

record unbeaten start to the

English First Division and

avenge a painful defeat when

they meet third-placed Arsenal

tomorrow.

After 22 matches without a loss, Liverpool lead the table by 13 points from Nottingham

Forest and look assured of a gen-tle stroll towards their 17th

Doomed

Arsenal, whose own cham-

pionship challenge has faded

with a recent loss of form, beat

Liverpool in last season's Engl-

ish League Cup final and will face

the wrath of Merseysiders for

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Jan

15. [Reuter]: Communist China has officially notified the Inter-

national Olympic Committee

HOC1 it will attend the Seoul

Summer Olympics this Septem-

ber, an IOC spokeswoman said

confirmation from the People's

Republic of China that it will

IOC spokeswoman Michele Ver-

North Korea has demanded to

co-host the Games, awarded to

participate in the Seoul Games,"

dier told Reuters.

"We have received official

League title.

strong challenge tonight io the Dunhill Cup, the last and biggest event of the show.

By winning yesterday's main competition, brilliant young English rider Duncan Inglia denied Oman's Julian Trevor-Roper a second major triumpb at the

Going last into the jump-off in the Yashika-Jashanmal Open Stakes knowing a clear round would give him victory. Inglis coolly guided Benyon to the big

prize of the day.
Until then. Trevor-Roper had looked set for a winning followup to his first-day success in the Mitsubishi Al Habtoor Motors Open Stakes, which still marks him as a rider to watch in the Dunhill Cup, the most prestigious of all the jumping com-

that unexpected defeat. Arsenal

lock doomed to a seventh con-

Liverpool's current run has set

them up to challenge several

long-standing English soccer

records with Leeds' 29-match

unbeaten run from the start of the 1973-74 under most threat at

After 22 matches, Leeds had

won 16 and drawn six, scoring 41 goals and conceding 11 in the

process. Liverpool have won 17

and drawn five and have scored

55 goals and conceded 1 t. Predictably, all talk of records

is scoffed at by Liverpool's player-manager Kenny Dalglish

A Liverpool win would lift

Seoul in 1981. and rejected as inadequate the latest IOC com-

promise offer to stage 10

Pyongyang has threatened to

call for a communist boycott of

the Games if its demands are not

met. But the recent acceptances

has discounted the changes of a

fourth consecutive major boycott of the summer Olym-

Number

have also accepted invitations to

compete in the 1988 Summer

Vietnam and Czechoslovakia

secutive defeat at Anfield.

present.

and his staff.

China to participate in Games

individual events.

petitions at the Dubai Metropolitan Hotel arena.

Saudi Arabia's first ever victory in the Middle East's largest showjumping event arrived yes-terday in the Gulftainer Intermediate Open Stakes. Hassan Saif, a member of the first group of riders from the kingdom to compete in Dubai, produced a flawless round on Aglan to take the jump-off by more than two

### Riders

As established names like Harvey Smith. Malcolm Pyrah and Paul Darragh struggled to make any impression, the international stars were being overshadowed by the Gulf's top riders until linglis came out on top in yesterday's main event. With no other clear rounds in

them 17 points clear of Arsenal

and virtually end the north Lon-

don club's challenge, leaving

only Nottingham Forest with a

chance of catching them if they

went unbeaten for 42 matches from November, 1977, to December, 1978, to set the lon-

gest unbeaten sequence in English League bistory—should consolidate their challenge with a

Football Association (FA)

Cup holders Coventry, struggling

in the League this seasoo, lace a

repeat of last season's final

against Tottenham when they

Tottenham, recharged by

Their acceptances brought the

number of nations confirming

they will take part to the Septem-

Cuba aod seven other nations

--- Albania, Ethiopia, Madagas-

car. Nicaragua, Sevchelles, Syria

and Tanzania — also have until

the IOC's deadline of midnight

on Sunday to reply.

It will be the first summer

Olympics competition between

American and Soviet Athletes

since 1976, and the lirst summer

games without a major boycott

ber Games to a record 158.

home win over Charlton.

visit White Hart Lane.

IOC said today.

Forest — whose L977-78 side

suffer a prolonged loss of form.

seek records and

the jump-off, Trevor-Roper bad led with four faults and a quick time of 40.11 seconds on Nabilah, the horse on which he had pipped Australian star Kevin Bacon for the first Open title of the ten-nation show 24 bours earlier.

### Results

Al Bayan Speed and Handi-ness Stakes: I. Lt Rakad Al Dophere (Kuwait) Liwice; 2. Lymya Al Essa (Kuwait) Excite: (joint) Lt Felah Al Moteori (Kuwaitl PJ, Lt Abdullah Al Saedi | Kuwait) Salama; 5. Julian Trevor Roper (Oman) Habibi.

Gulftainer Intermediate Open Stakes: 1. Hassan Saif (Saudi Arabia) Aglan; 2. Hamda Abdullah Abulhoul (UAE) Minnie the Minx; 3. Daoud Bahrami (UAE) Khan; 4. Heather Wells

three wins in their last four games

under newly-installed manager Terry Venables, are out of the League title race in ninth posi-

In Scotland, Premier Divison

leaders Glassgow Celtic face a

relatively straightforward task at

home to Hibernian, who are lik-

ely to include winger Micky

Weir, re-signed from Luton on

Wednesday, four months after he had moved south of the bor-

But the top attraction will be the clash between second-placed Hearts and fourth-placed Ran-

gers at the Edingburgh club's Tynecastle ground.

Vatanen keeps

TESSALIT, Mali, Jan 15. (Reuter): Ari Vatanen of Finland

lost his way in the mountains of

central Mali yesterday but

retained his overall lead in the

The 450-km stage between

Kidal and Tessalit was won hy

Frenchman Jean Bouchet in a

Range Rover after the rally's top

drivers failed to find an elusive

lost 20 minutes trying to find the

Vatanen, driving a Peugeot.

rally lead

Paris-Dakar rally.

checkpoint.

finishing line.

tion, but improving steadily.

revenge

(UAE) Keyhole Kate; 5. Yousef Saleb (Saudi Arabia) Halem; 6. Khan Mohammed (Oman) Longines Junior Stakes: I.

Osama Khadra (Kuwait) Fury; Debbie Godsave (UAE) Dubai Dancer: 3. Sonja Lindroos (UAE] Boxey; 4. Teresa Carew (UAE) Frolic; 5. Mohamed Alragam (Kuwait) Calle; 6. Yasser Mubarak (UAE)

Yashika-Jashanmal Open Stakes: 1. Duncan Inglis (England) Benyon; 2. Julian Trevor-Roper (Oman) Nabilah; 3. Kevin Bacon (Australia) Greendale; 4. Jamil Al Awadi (Kuwait) Ballandine: 5. Paul Darragh [Ireland] Bassam; 6. Tariq Shaaib (Kuwait) Sweet

Pakistan and

**Soviet Union** 

LUCKNOW, India, Jan 15.

(Reuter): Olympic champions Pakistan will meet the Soviet Union in the final of the Indira

Gandhi men's hockey tour-

nament after contrasting

Pakistan had to overcome a

stiff challenge from Asian cham-

pions South Korea before win-

ning 1-0, while the Soviets out-

played New Zealand 3-0. The Pakistan-South Korea

match was absorbing through-out and was finally settled 20

minutes into the second half

when Shahbaz Ahmed netted the

Failed

Russians were always in com-

mand alter taking a seventh min-

total of seven penalty corners.

but the usually accurate McLeod failed to find the target and the

Soviet Union were quick to

Nechaev tapped home from

close range in the 30th minute

and Davidov scored again soon

after the interval when he collec-

ted a loose hall and weaved

through the New Zealand

defence to round off the scoring.

New Zealand were awarded a

ute lead through Davidov.

In the second semifinal, the

all-important goal.

semifinal victories today.

reach final

### Iraq have eight points after six and 1 games. Kuwait seven, Qatar five and Saudi Arabia four. MUSCAT, Jao 15, (Reuter): Former World Cup finalists Iraq secured a place at this year's Seoul Olympics with a I-0 win over Kuwait in a fiercely contested match today. Joyful Iraqis who watched a live television broadcast of the game in Baghdad greeted the After the match the chairman alom of the Kuwait Football Association, Sheikh Fahd Al Ahmed,

game in Baghdad greeted the result with volleys of gunfire in the air.

Iraq, two of whose players went off injured, repeatedly repelled an increasingly desperate Kuwait in the second half of the game, played in Oman because of a Fifa ban on matches in countries at war. Missed

### Karem Allawi scored the only goal after 23 mioutes but the Kuwaitis always threatened to

equalise. Kuwaiti captain Faisal Dakhii missed a wide-open chance in the early minutes of the tie, the first

of several narrow misses. Kuwait, who qualified for the Moscow Olympics in 1980, bad defeated Iraq 2-1 in the first leg of

this west Asian group competi-tion. They needed only to draw to make the final 12 in the fight for Olympic medals this Septem-Iraqreached the final in the 1986 World Cup in Mexico.

In the same group, Qatar beat Saudi Arabia 1-0 in Doha. The

scorer was Hassao Gawher with

a penalty in the 83rd minute.

### congratulated the Iraqi team oo its qualificatioo for the Olym-

However, Sheikh Fahd criticised the Jordanian referee and said that he was one of the worst that he had seen. But he was of the opinion that Kuwait should not attribute its defeat to bad

refereeing. "Although Kuwait lost the match, the team proved itself," Sheikh Fand added.

He also said that although the referee had not done a good job, none of the Kuwaiti piayanattacked him and the team. behaved in the best possible way. In the earlier match between the two teams, the Iraqi players had manhandled the Singaporean

referee in Kuwait.

Sheikh Fabd said the team had performed to the best of its ability but regretted that it had lost and bad been unable to apply the Clympics. referee in Kuwait. qualify for the Olympics.

### Figini wins

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